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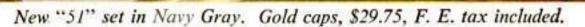
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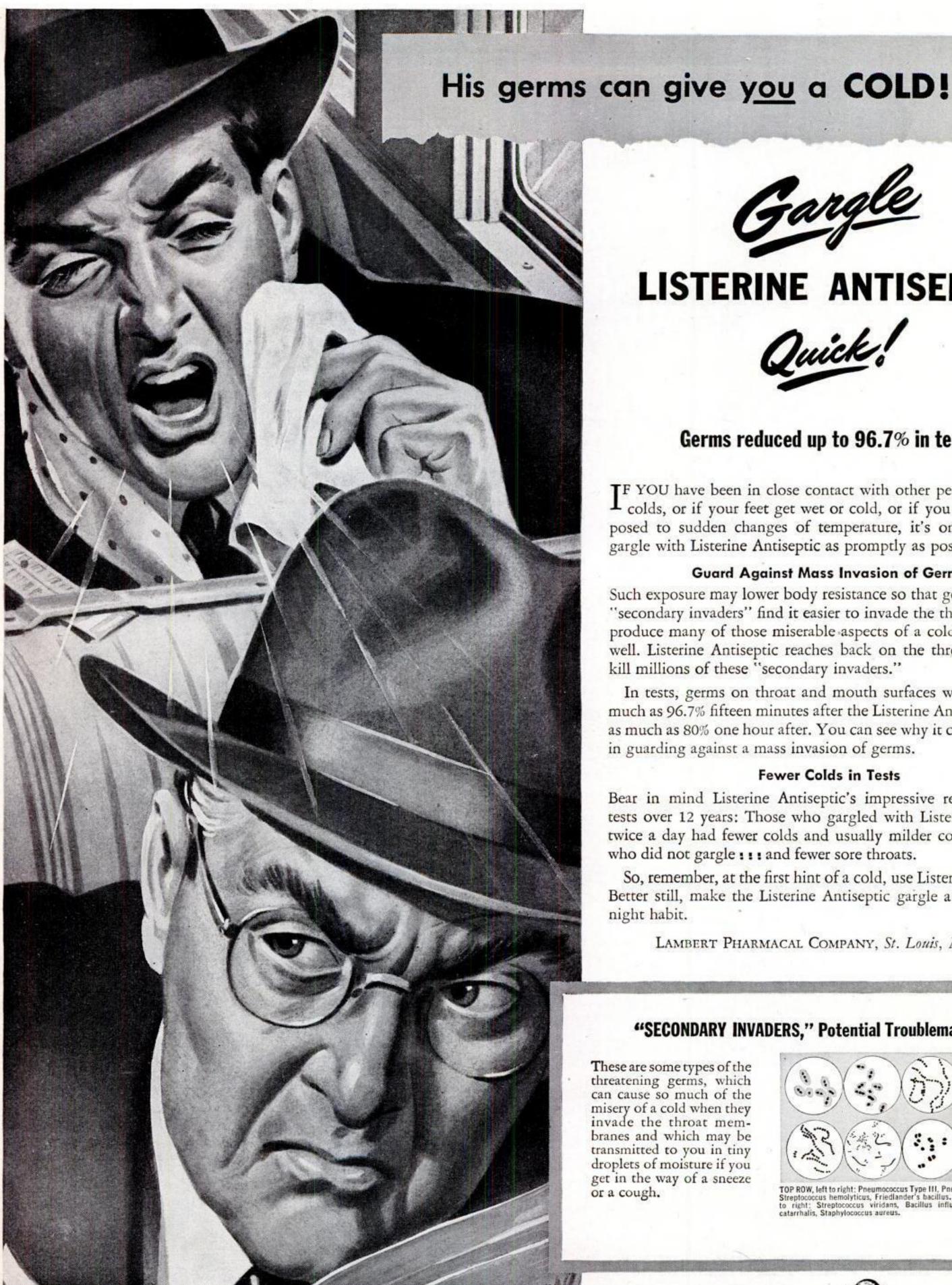


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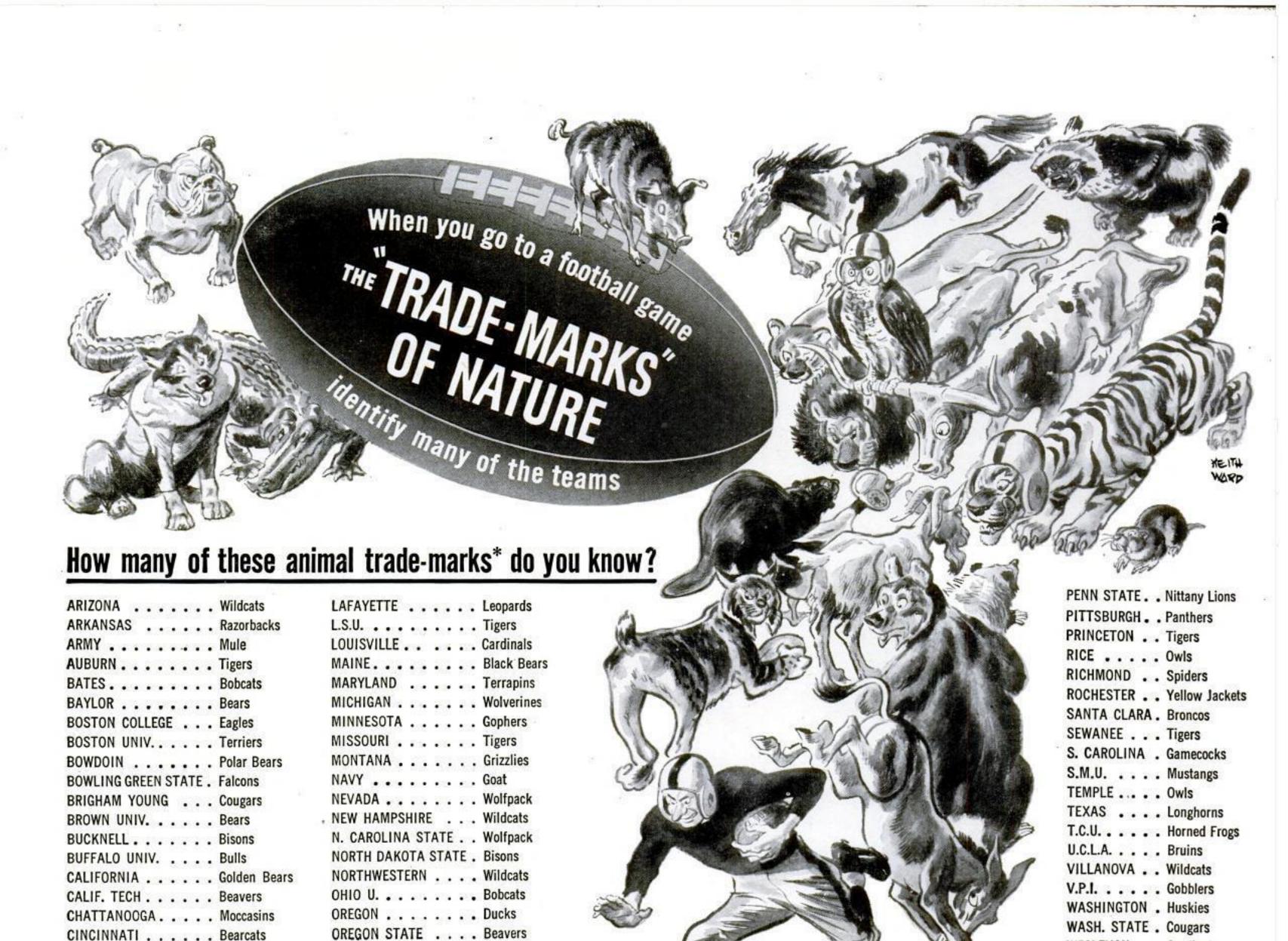


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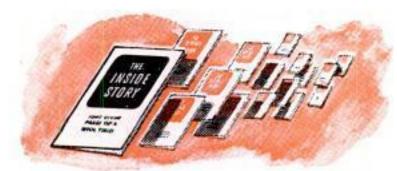
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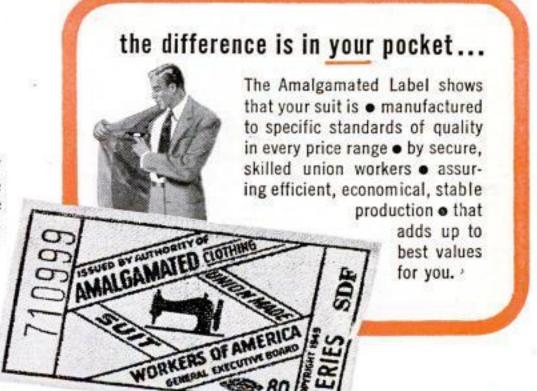
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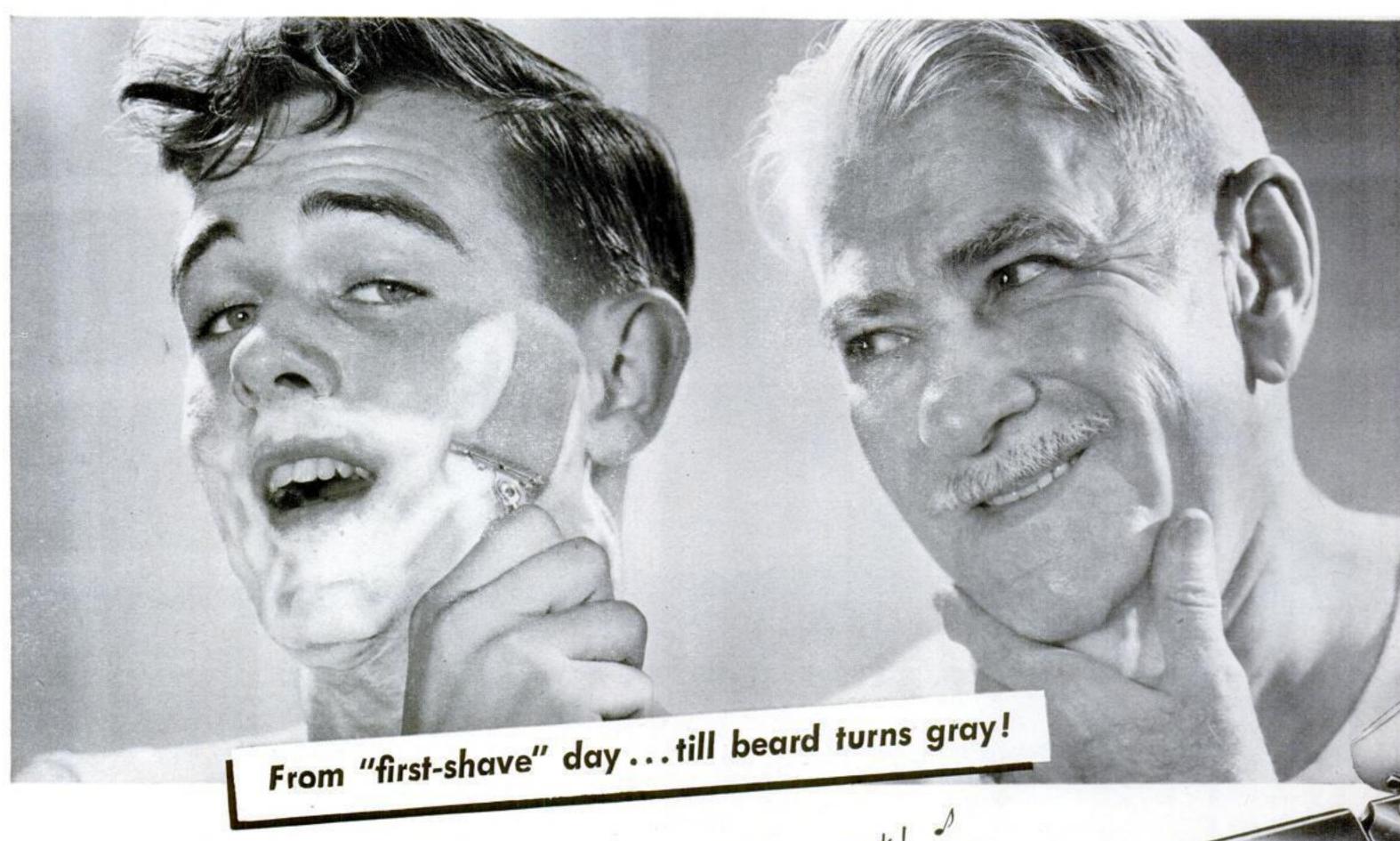
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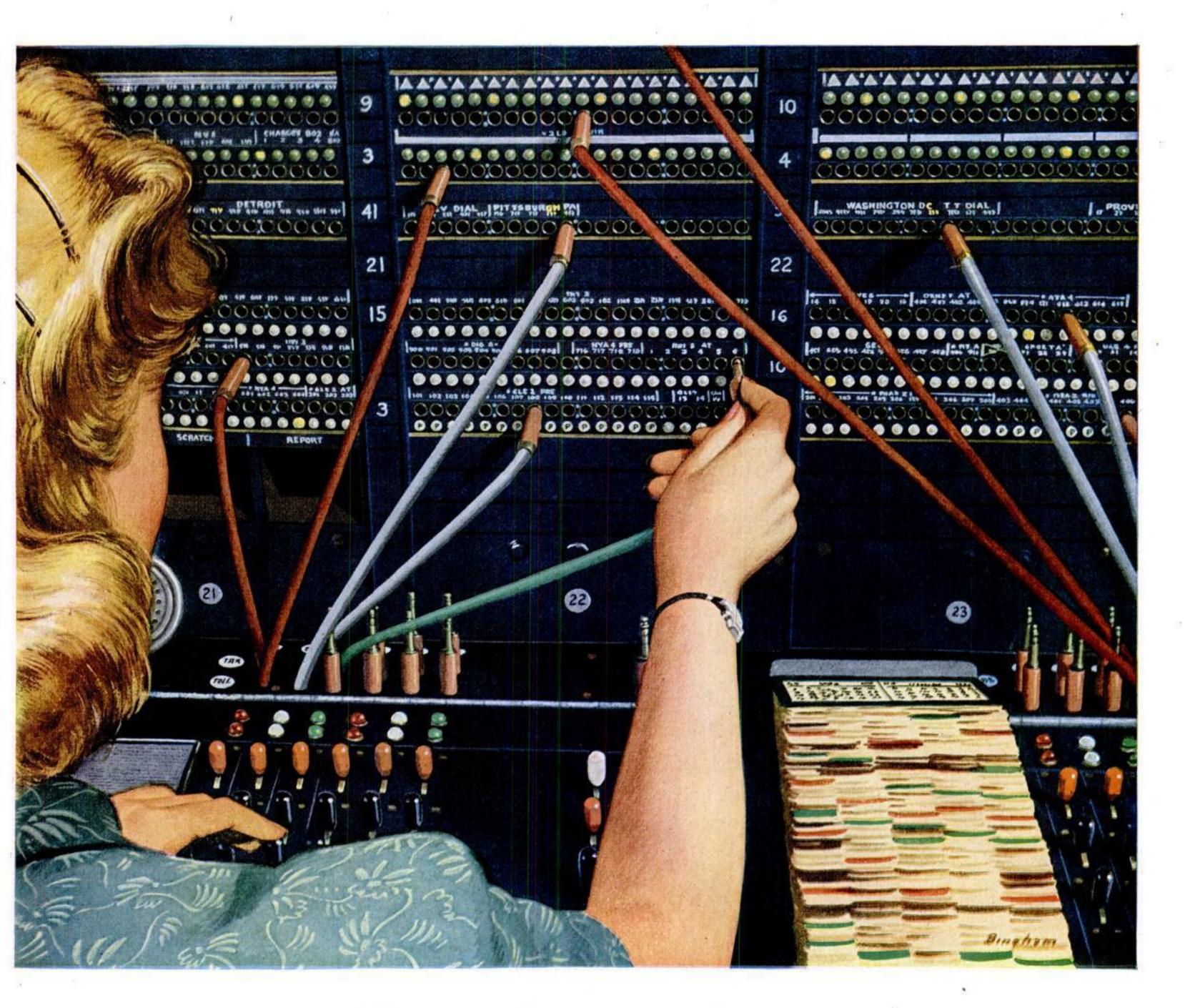
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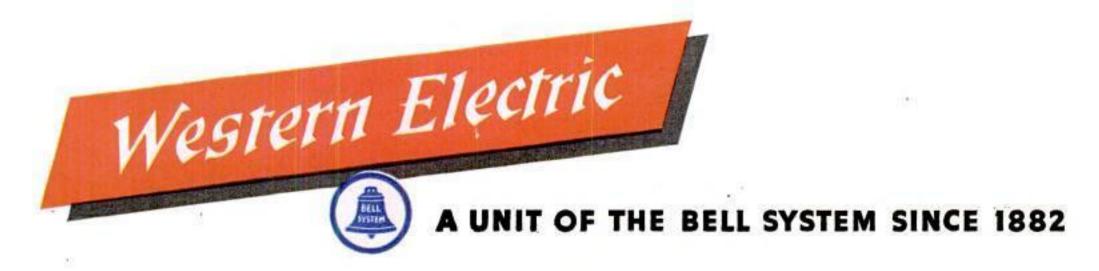


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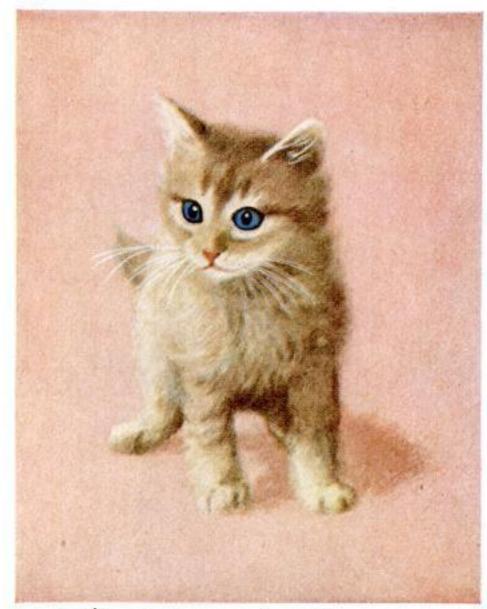


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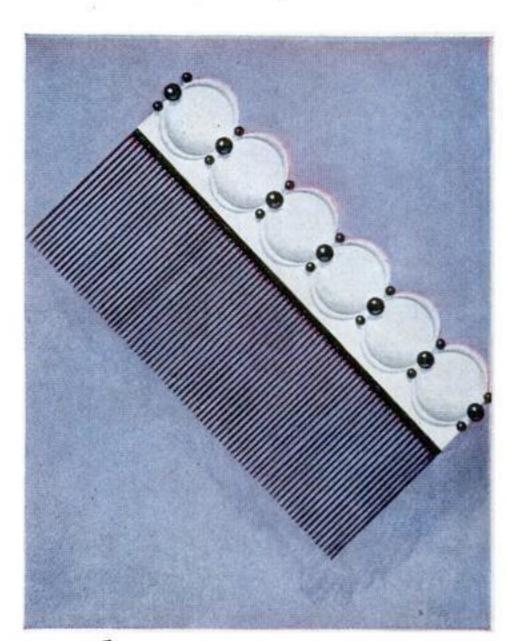


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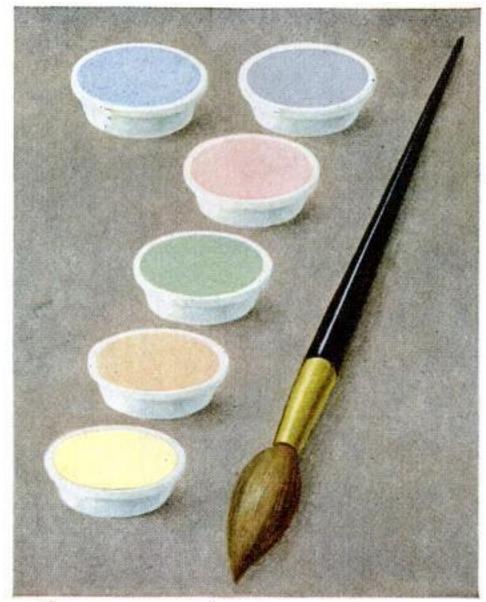
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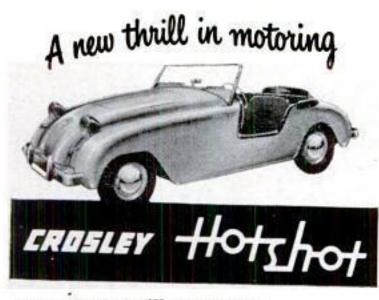


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LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

OPPENHEIMER

Sirs:

Congratulations to Life for presenting within a few weeks' time two eminent spokesmen of diametrically opposed ideologies: Evelyn Waugh (Life, Sept. 19) on the fictitious conjecture represented in Roman Catholicism and J. Robert Oppenheimer (Life, Oct. 10) on the cautious and self-effacing rationalism of modern science.

GEORGE SONNENSCHEIN

Dayton, Ohio

Sirs:

Where can I obtain "The Open Mind," by Oppenheimer, which Mr. Barnett mentions?

E. KANEGIS

New York, N.Y.

 From the Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton, N.J.—ED.

Sirs:

It is high time the American public became informed about some basic truths pertaining to basic science. All too many people forget that the principle must precede the application. This point was never better expressed than by the great Sir Francis Bacon in the 17th Century: "... the very contemplation of things as they are, without superstition or imposture ... is in itself more worthy than all the fruit of inventions."

PETER J. FRANK Brooklyn, N.Y.

Sirs:

As many another Greek scholar [20 to be exact—ED.] will write in this week and tell you, the Greek word for nature in the second paragraph of the article on J. Robert Oppenheimer is spelled not φυσις, but φύσις.

ELIZABETH MILNER

Indianapolis, Ind.

Sirs:

A coincidence of Life. During a late trip home from New York to New Brunswick on the train, I was reading the article on J. Robert Oppenheimer. I paused to look at his picture, and my glance fell on the man next to me—I was astounded, for sitting next to me was Oppenheimer in person. I asked him if the picture in Life was his, and he nodded in assent. Naturally the article held double the meaning and depth after meeting Dr. Oppenheimer personally. Just one of those incidents which tend to lend spice and drama to everyday, humdrum existence.

JOHN W. GROESBECK New Brunswick, N.J.

SMART STUDENT

Sirs:

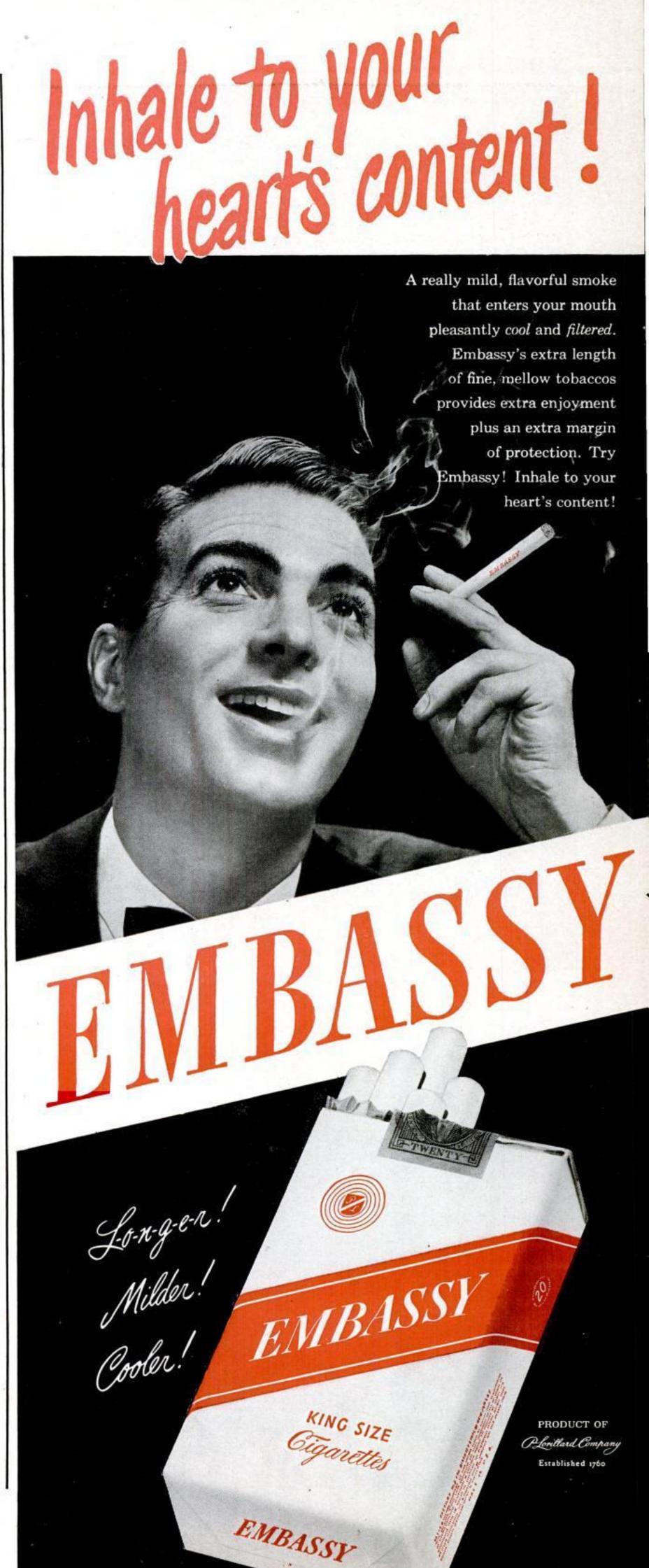
I am a student at East Donegal Township High School at Maytown, Pa. One day in my class on Problems of Democracy our discussion fell upon letters to the editors of Life. Our instructor told us that if any of the students in his class had a letter of criticism published in Life he would receive an A for the six-week period.

After careful examination of the Oct. 10 issue I have not found anything that I could criticize. So perhaps if you would just publish this letter for me, I'll get my A.

George C. Hicks Maytown, Pa.

• Life unhesitatingly gives George an A for effort.—ED.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

MIXED EMOTIONS

Sirs:

After looking at "Mixed Emotions" (Life, Oct. 10), in which the starlets react to a series of imaginary situations, we decided to try our 3½-year-old daughter out in the same sequences. Here are the results.

Howard P. Wyrauch Niagara Falls, N.Y.



TASTING A DRINK



THROWING A TANTRUM



SEEING A MONSTER

Sirs:

I rated the girls as follows: Monroe: Really great.

Dalbert: Probably be a good come-

Soma: A very poor imitation of Valli, Nigh: She'd make a better model. Downs: She'd be good in murder mysteries.

Maxwell: Looks natural.

Luez: Superb! Great possibilities. Gardner: Should be cast as a mother in Bs.

MARLYS GOOD

La Moure, N. Dak.

Sirs:

For my movie money Suzanne Dalbert is not less than 90% better than the rest.

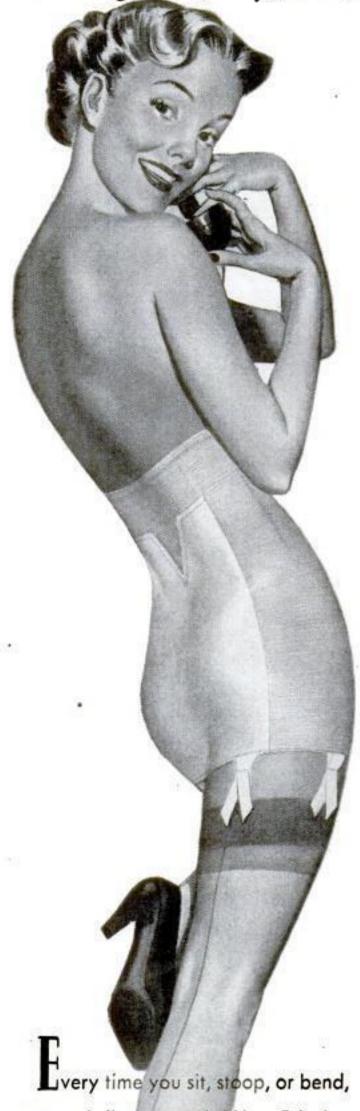
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High Point, N.C.

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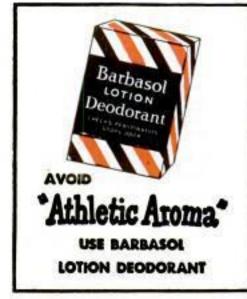
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LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

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Sirs:

Marilyn Monroe is not only the most beautiful, but the one who will no doubt make a name for herself in Hollywood. Mrs. M. Sakakeeny

Cambridge, Mass.

Sirs:

Cathy Downs is the only one who acts as though she hadn't just taken 10 drags off a dope stick.

JOANNE BOUR

Mercedes, Texas

Sirs:

Cathy Downs 'em all!
CHARLES L. MEACH, D.D.S.
Traverse City, Mich.



CATHY AND JOE

◆ Last week Cathy became the bride (his third) of Joe Kirkwood Jr., who plays Joe Palooka in the movies.—ED.

Sirs:

The story about the movie starlets and their ability to turn on different degrees of emotion was very interesting and enjoyable. But let me call to your attention the pictures of Bobby Morfitt (in the story of the 4-H Fair) as he received a ribbon for his Angus calf.

Perhaps Bobby ought to give those poor gals a lesson.

RENEE CONSTANCE Brooklyn, N.Y.

VAN WHAT?

Sirs:

My family has been having an argument over the pronunciation of Van Gogh. My brother says that it should be "Van Go." I am equally sure that it should be "Van Gock." My sisterin-law, on the other hand, claims that it is "Van Guff." Who is right?

EDGAR OWENS RICHARD New York, N. Y.

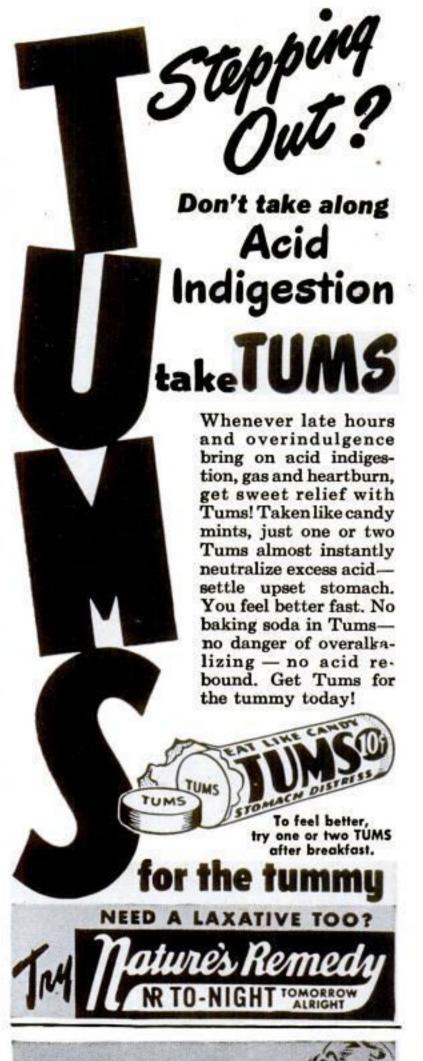
 None of you. Van Gogh's nephew, now in this country, pronounces it "Van Hock" and says that his uncle did the same.—ED.

WHITE-COLLAR COWBOY

Sirs:

I have just read "White-Collar Cowboy" (LIFE, Oct. 10), and I want you to know that I am in complete sympathy with the Kents. It is no wonder they wanted to leave St. Louis, for every time that I have been there I have had the same desire. There is just one thing that I don't understand. I can't picture a man going all that way into the West, when there is a place like Kansas City just a short 255 miles away.

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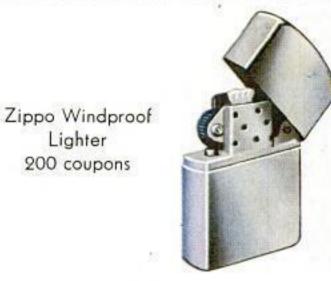
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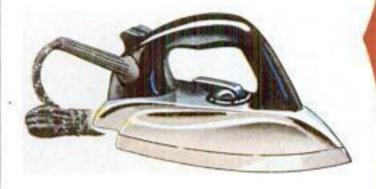
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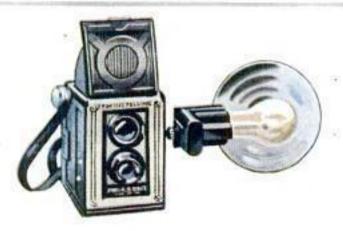
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HINSON'S JUMP

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"Crew Hits the Silk, But Pilot Goes Down With Ship" (Picture of the Week, Life, Oct. 10) was of particular interest here in Waycross, Ga.

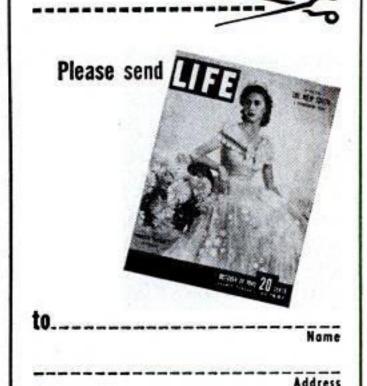
You say that the pilot ordered the crew to jump but "one died because his parachute was not securely hooked."

The soldier who was killed was Corporal Norman Hinson of Waycross, who in his 20 years had had a crowded



career: On June 26, 1942, when only 13 years of age, Hinson, who was 6 feet tall and weighed 156 pounds, enlisted in the Army, a friend verifying his age as 18. In December of 1942 he was sent overseas. At 14 Hinson was back in the States with a minority discharge and at 15 had married. In 1946, now the father of two daughters, Hinson entered the service again, and in July of this year he re-enlisted for another term.

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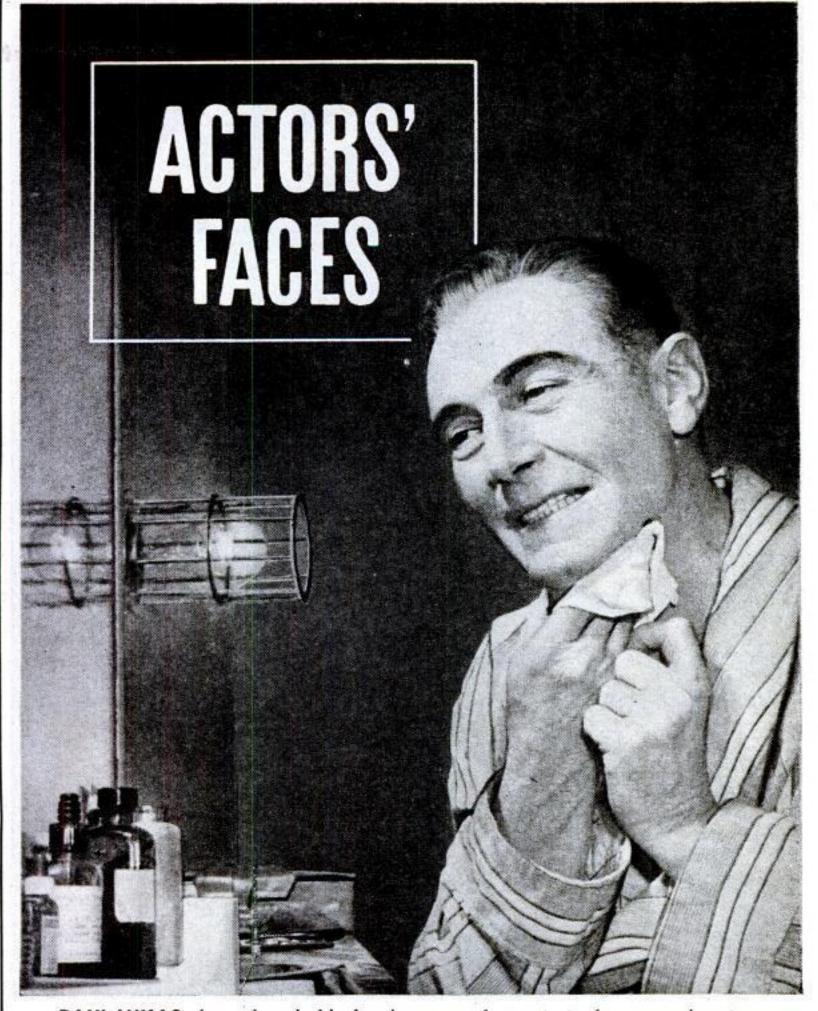
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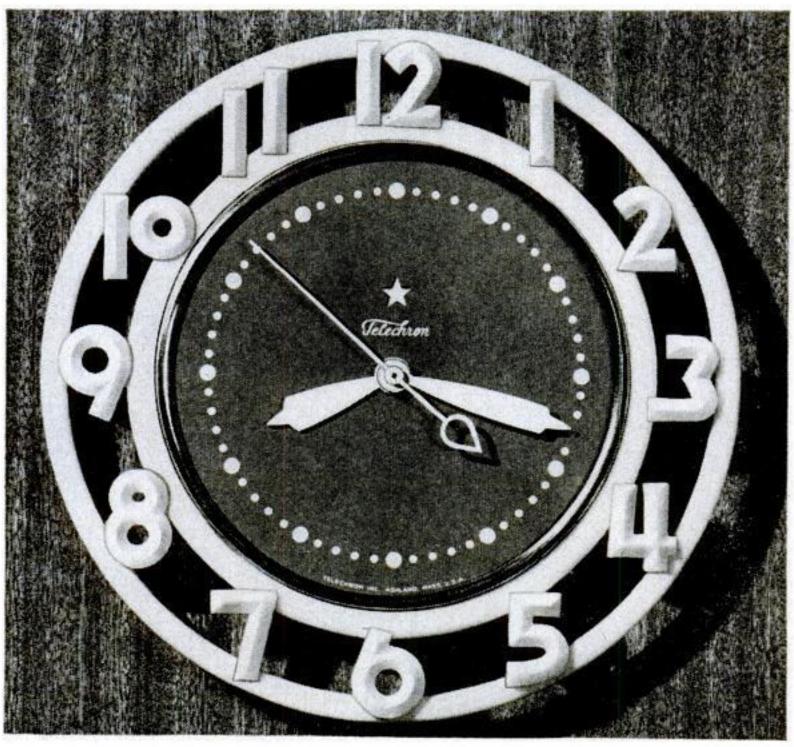
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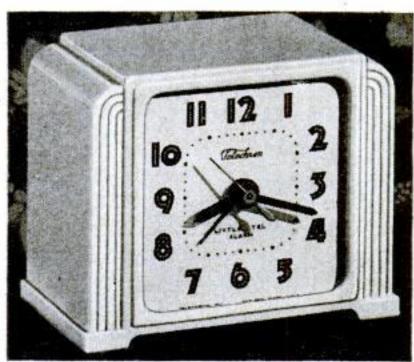


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DOROTHY M. SMITH

Waycross, Ga.

COBWEBBED WORDS

Sirs:

"The Biggest Giveaway Contest Ever" (LIFE, Oct. 10) had two words I had never heard of. One was "frenetically" and the other "agley." Curiosity forced me to drag out my cobwebbed dictionary to discover their meanings. Now I know. Use more of little-used words in LIFE. It's fun to look them up in the dictionary, and it also adds to our education.

EDWARD C. PTAK

Novelty, Ohio

 A panegyric for Reader Ptak's indagations.-ED.

YAK YAK

Sirs:

The following "editorial" appeared in the Oct. 5 issue of Silver and Gold, University of Colorado student paper.

"The Oct. 3 issue of LIFE magazine, in a story concerning an expedition in Tibet, carried a picture of a pack yak. The caption under the photo read, 'A pack yak saddled for riding rests as caravan halts on plains. Black yaks in background are loaded with provisions.'

"After a little research on pack yaks, we find that there are two kinds of yaks. The wild yak is a black yak, while the domesticated yak is not black. Whether the black yak makes a better pack yak than any other yak is an unknown fact.

"But the knack of packing your tack on a black pack yak on a bivouac is an interesting process. First stack your sack, a light snack, your kayak, and any other bric-a-brac in a pack, and stack this pack on the back of a black pack yak. Then take up the slack on the pack.

"With this in mind, you're now ready to take off at a rack on the track to your mountain shack on the back of your black pack yak."

> JACK GNADINGER BILL GRIFFITH

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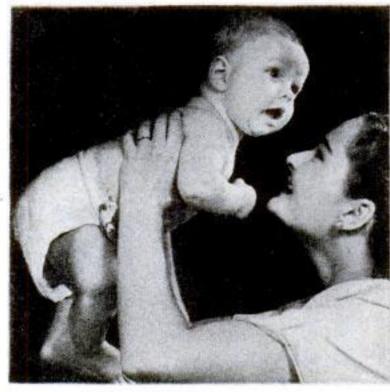
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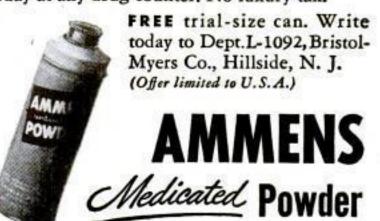
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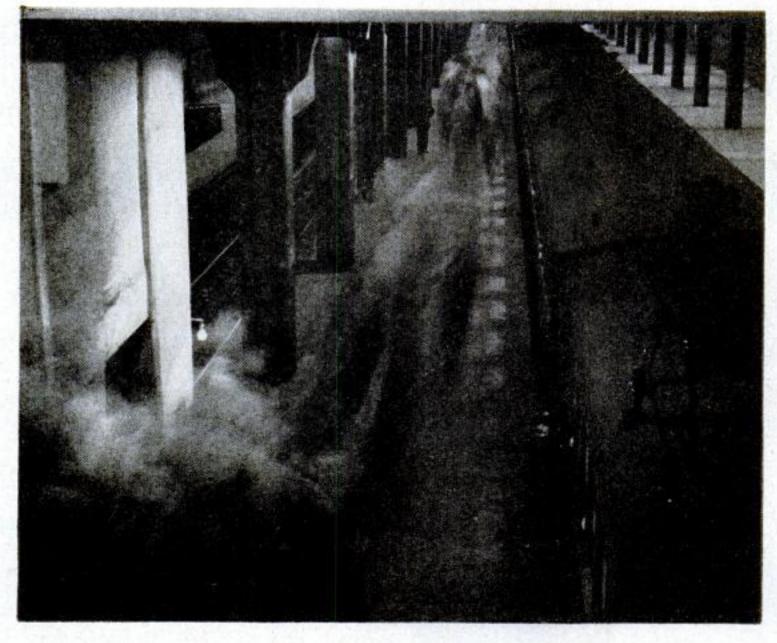
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- LAXATIVE-to relieve temporary sluggishness quickly, take before breakfast when needed.
- PLEASANT—as a glass of sparkling, bubbly soda water!



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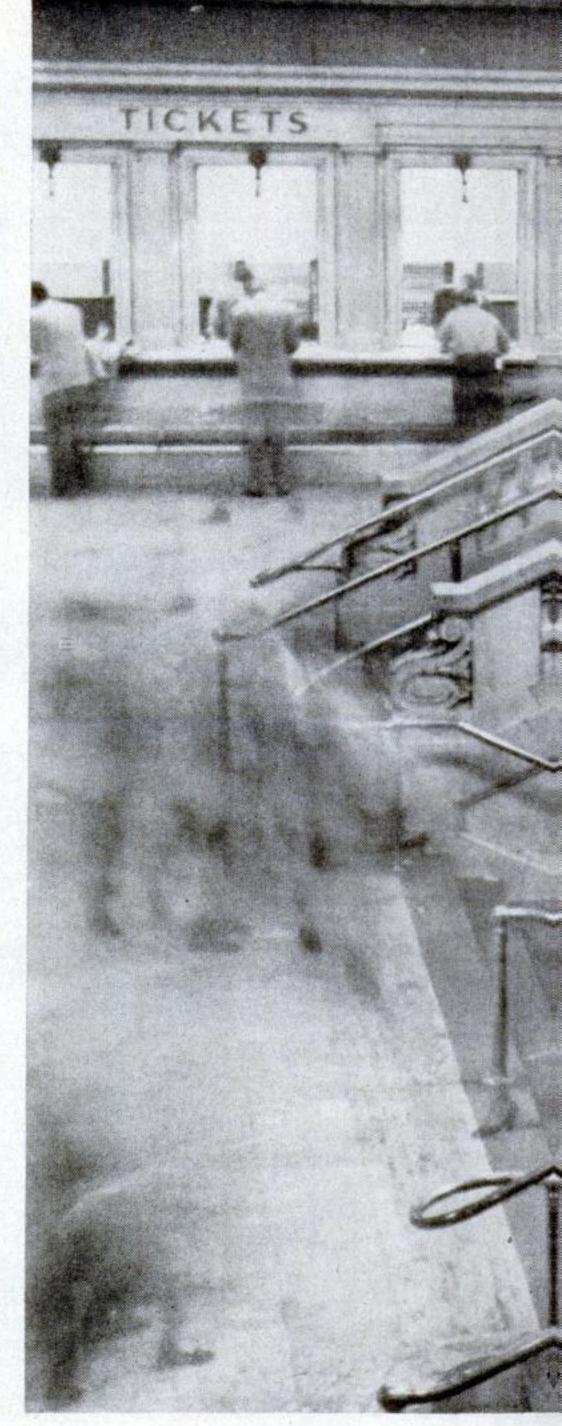
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IN STATION travelers rush along platform (right) to their trains. Escalators (below) carry them at same rapid pace.

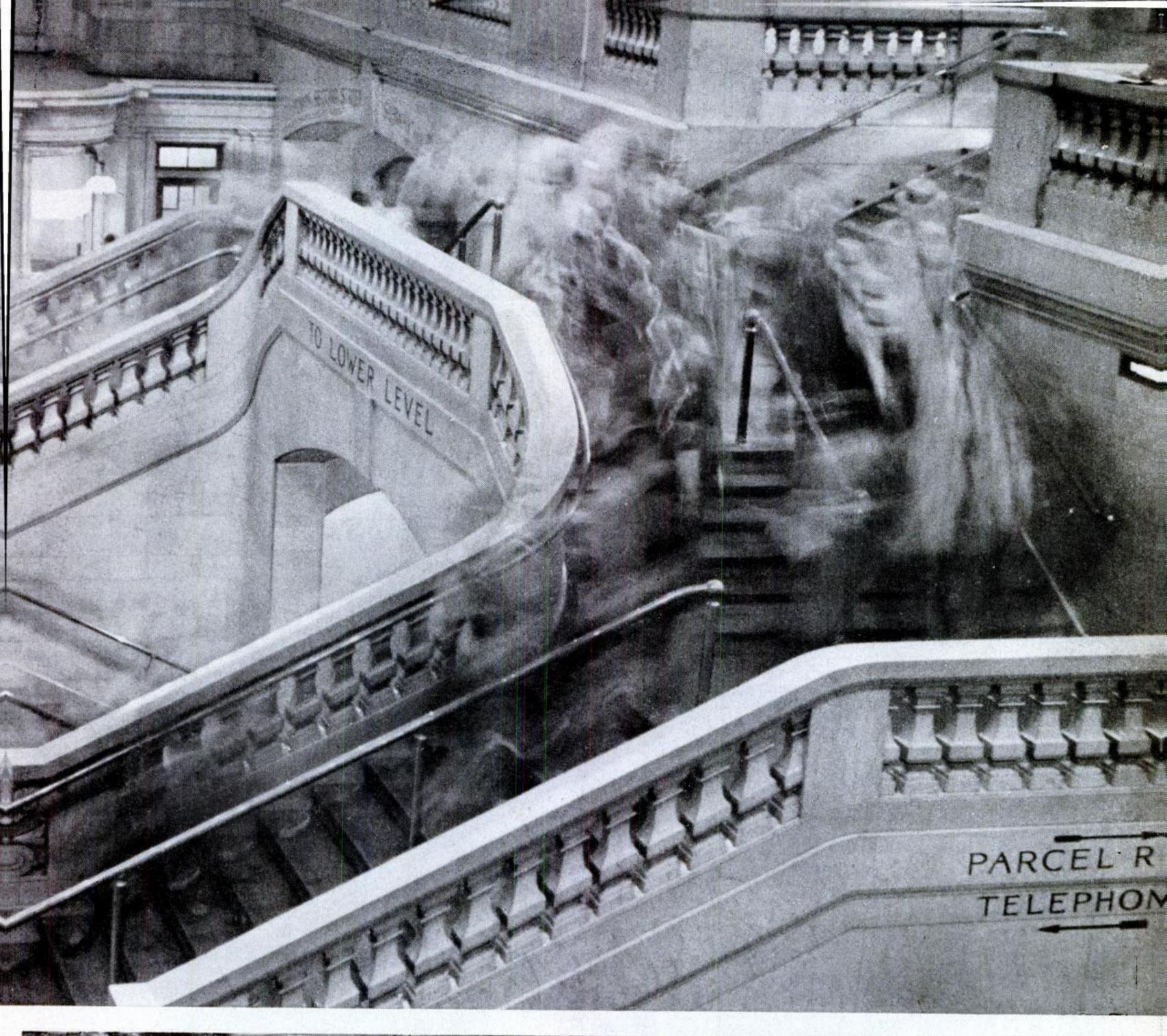




SPEAKING OF PICTURES

These are city ghosts

The feverish pace of New York, while it has given many a traffic cop the creeps and (according to bigcity folklore) many a resident a bad case of ulcers, never fails to fascinate the city's newcomers. Among those whose eyes have been blurred by New York's rushing crowds is a photographer named Lois Hobart, who recently came to New York from Minnesota. Using time exposures of a half second to one second, she has skillfully caught the blurs with her camera, transforming the rushing masses into ethereal streams that wave their way through the city.





ON MARBLE STAIRCASE in Grand Central wraithlike streams eddy and flow down to station's broad concourse.

ON 42ND STREET a large blurred mass of pedestrians moves across Fifth Avenue as two unblurred taxicabs wait.

She guessed wrong!



What's your guess?



We asked a smart young model...
"What's in this wrapped box?"

"It's facial tissues," she said.

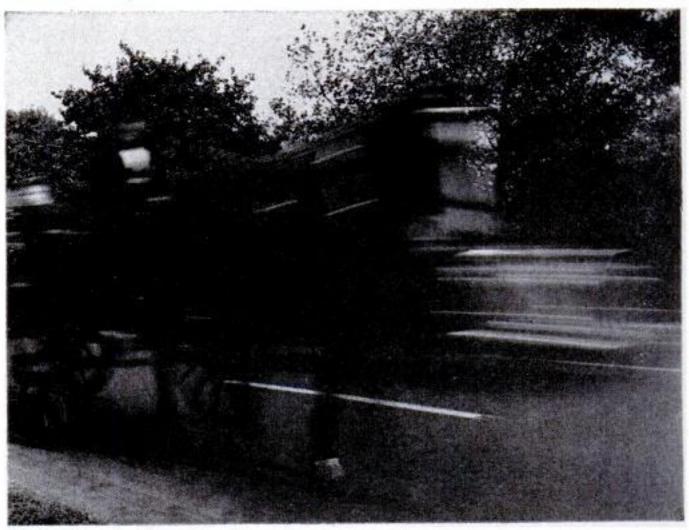
But she guessed wrong.

THE WRAPPED BOX in the picture above looks as if it might contain stationery...or bath salts...candy...facial tissues ...a dozen different things. But...

It's Modess in a new-shape box. So discreet...keeps your secret so nicely. Still the same number of the same fine Modess napkins, at the same price. In Regular, Junior, and Super Modess sizes.

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CITY GHOSTS CONTINUED



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FIFTH AVENUE PARADE, paced by Navy drummers wearing white hats and puttees, passes a group of berobed dignitaries at St. Patrick's Cathedral.



FERRY PASSENGERS arriving in Manhattan from Staten Island burst through exit openings and prepare to spend another day rushing about city.



Honeymoon in the Hills - painted for the De Beers Collection by Jean Hugo

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We got it straight from the pen of young Mrs. J. B. Patterson, Jr., of Cincinnati. Seems Mrs. Patterson was married during the war, when there were practically no Pequot Sheets available for civilians. So she bought whatever brand she could find . . . and thanked her lucky stars when her grandmother sent her two of her own long-used Pequots. Writes Mrs. Patterson:

"Those Pequots had seen plenty of service, but they still looked firm and soft, and so white. They still do today!"

And so do the Pequots, cut down to crib size, which her mother sent along when the Patterson baby was born. So now:

"Four generations of my family use Pequots. And at the rate mine are not wearing out, I expect to be able to pass them on to my granddaughter."

There are plenty of grandmothers around today who had Pequots in their trousseaux. And whose daughters advise their daughters to get Pequots for good looks, value and long wear.

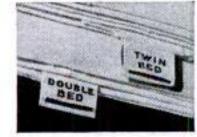
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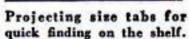
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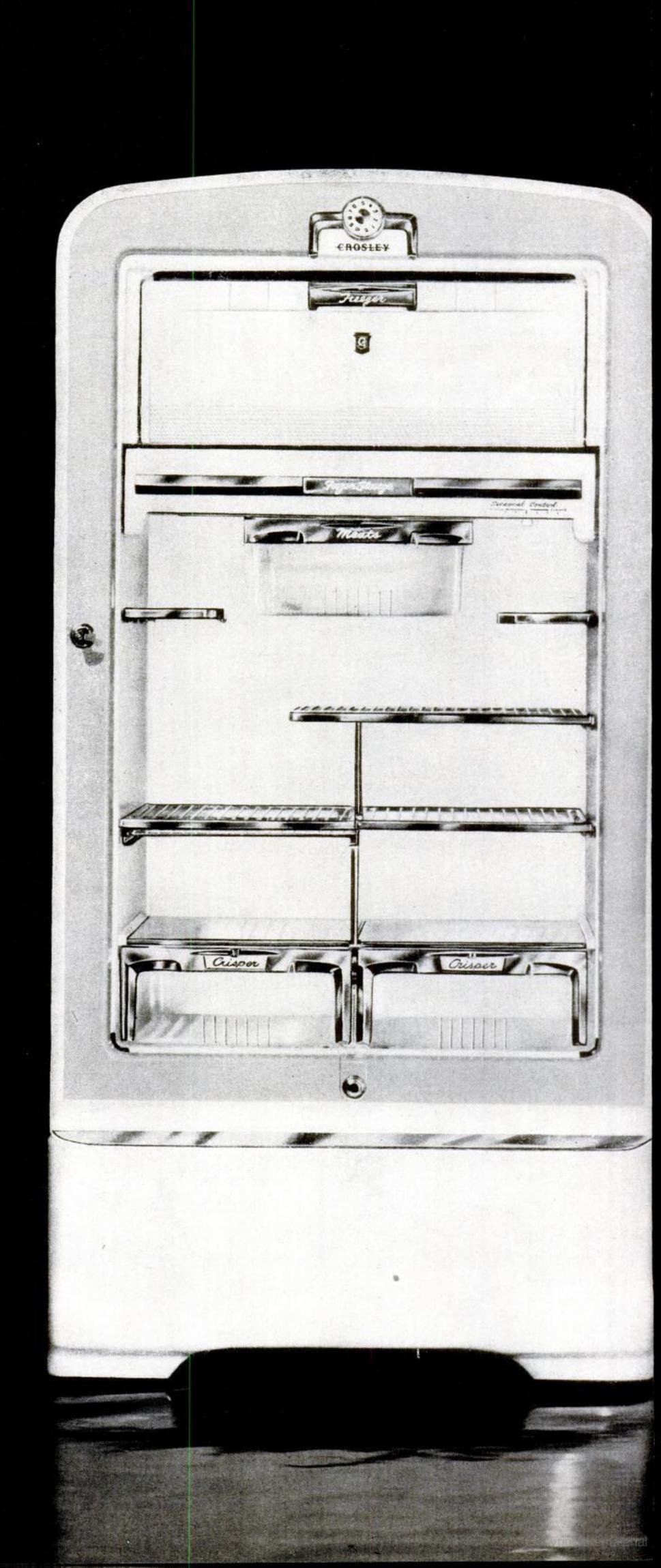
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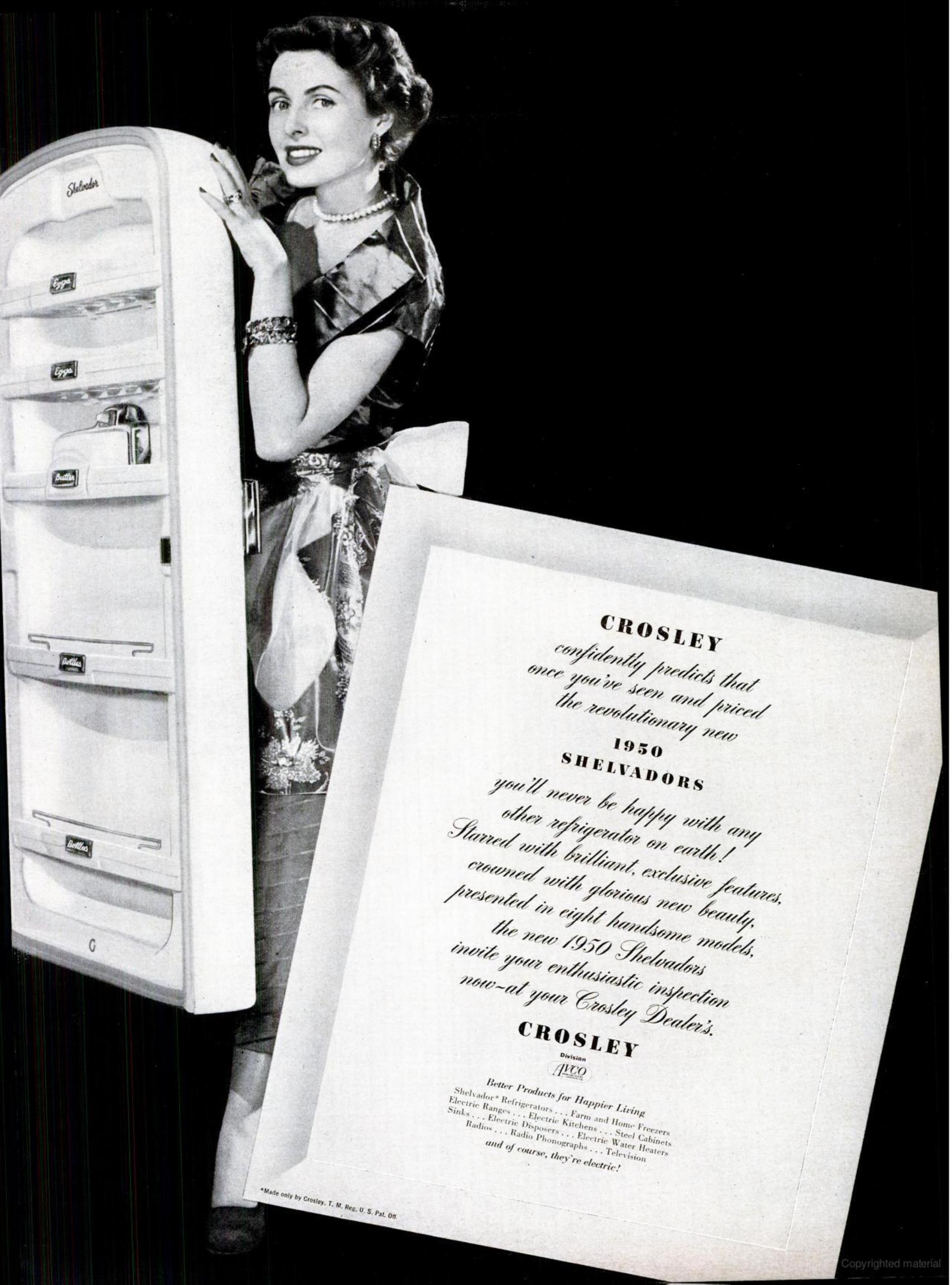
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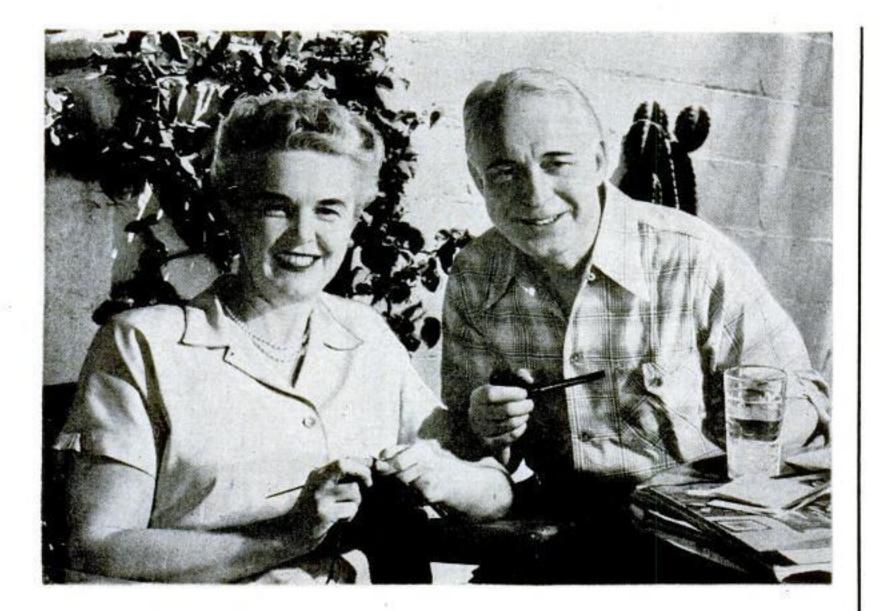
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ALL AT THE "CONVENIENCE LEVEL"

NO STOOPING CLEAR TO THE FLOOR!







How we retired with \$200 a Month

We'd never be out here in California today, financially independent, if it hadn't been for what happened back in Scarsdale, the night of September 10, 1926. How do I remember that date? It was my fortieth birthday and Nell had gotten tickets for "Countess Maritza" to celebrate. While she was dressing that night I sat in the living room, looking through a magazine.

I suppose any man feels kind of serious when he hits forty. Someday we wanted, Nell and I, to really enjoy life. Move out where it was summer all year, in southern California, Grow flowers and soak up the sun. Have time for living. But how could we?

We hadn't saved much. And I realized that a half of my working years had gone. I had a good job and a fair salary. But we found it hard to bank anything. So I began to wonder-must I always live on a treadmill, like so many others?

As I turned the pages, an ad caught my eye and I started to read it. Oddly, the ad seemed meant for me. There was, it said, a way for a man to retire on an income-without ever being rich. It was called the Phoenix Mutual Retirement Income Plan. With it I could arrange to get a guaranteed income of \$200 a month beginning when I reached 60. And it wasn't just an income for myself alone. The Plan actually provided an income as long as either

Just as I finished, Nell came rushing downstairs in a hurry as usual. But I stopped long enough to tear out the coupon at the bottom of the ad. I stuck it in an envelope and dropped it in the mail on our way to the show.

Well, that was back in 1926. A few years later, the stock market crashed and the depression came along. Then the war. Many times I was thankful that I had my Phoenix Mutual Plan.

Well, a while back my sixtieth birthday arrived—and was that a celebration! I was all set to retire. And it wasn't long before my first Phoenix Mutual check for \$200 came in. So we sold the Scarsdale house and headed for California.

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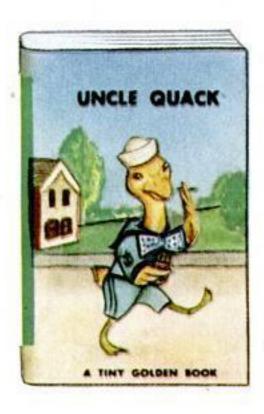
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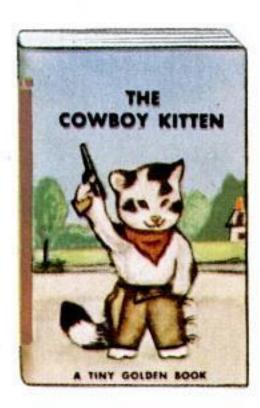
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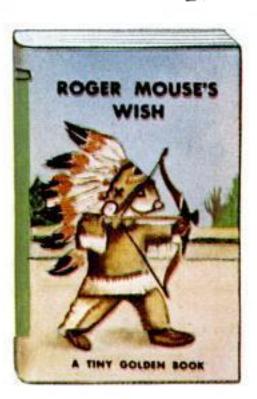
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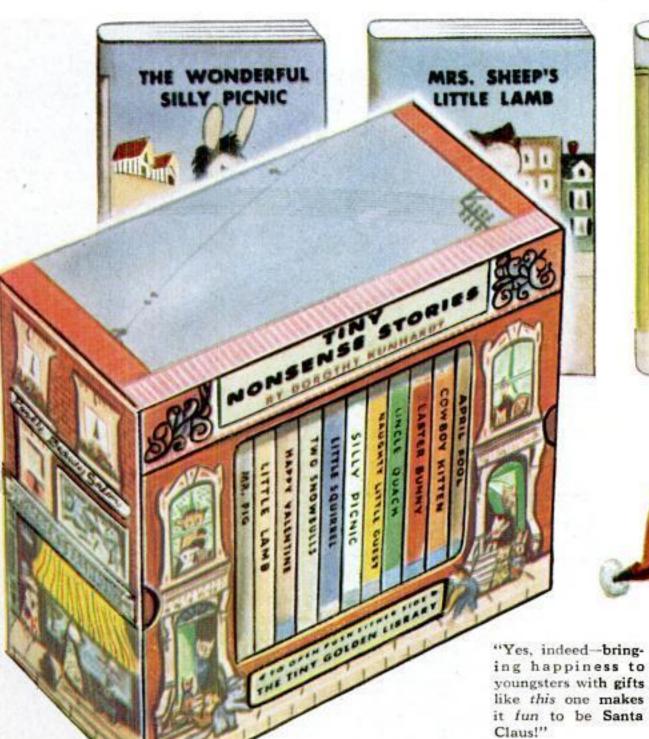


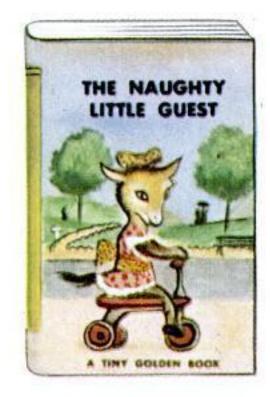














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STRIKE PINCH BEGINS TO HURT THE U.S.

Last week, for the third straight week, the normally smoke-filled skies over Homestead, Pa. were blue and crystal clear. Homestead was unnaturally quiet too. The fiery roar of its big steel mills was stilled. No lines of men went in to work-and no pay checks came out.

It was like that in steel towns all over the U.S. In Gary, Ind. local businessmen (above) found their receipts off as much as 50%. In Homestead, Pa. workers were losing \$875,000 a week in pay checks. But while the effects of the big steel strike had been felt only locally for the first two weeks, they were now beginning to be felt on a slowly paralyzing national scale. There were 146,000 steelworkers on strike in Pennsylvania, 123,000 in Ohio, 50,000 in Indiana, 21,000 in Illinois. In all half a million steelworkers were out.

The issue was perfectly clear. Should workers share the cost of pensions for men 65 and over (as Big Steel insisted) or should the company foot the bill (as C.I.O. President Phil Murray insisted)? Negotiations were followed by more negotiations, but each side clung stubbornly to its demand.

Meanwhile the combination of the steel strike and the even longer coal strike (380,000 men out) was slowly sapping the nation's strength. Already manufacturers were reluctantly planning layoffs (box at the right). Railroads began to discontinue trains. The nation, which last summer had shaken off a recession in its early stages, found a new threat.

Here and there a steelworker grumbled that he was losing pay unnecessarily, but the steelworkers, a well-disciplined union, held firm. President Murray toured his battlefronts pepping up his troops (pp. 28, 29). Periodically company and union representatives met with government's ubiquitous, craggy-browed Cyrus Ching (p. 30). For the sake of the U.S.'s economic health it was increasingly necessary that they reach a solution that would again send smoke belching out of the furnaces.

STRIKE BY-PRODUCTS

Detroit: Chrysler and Ford plan to lay off up to 200,000 workers by Nov. 15.

Pittsburgh: Westinghouse puts ranges and refrigerators on an allocation basis.

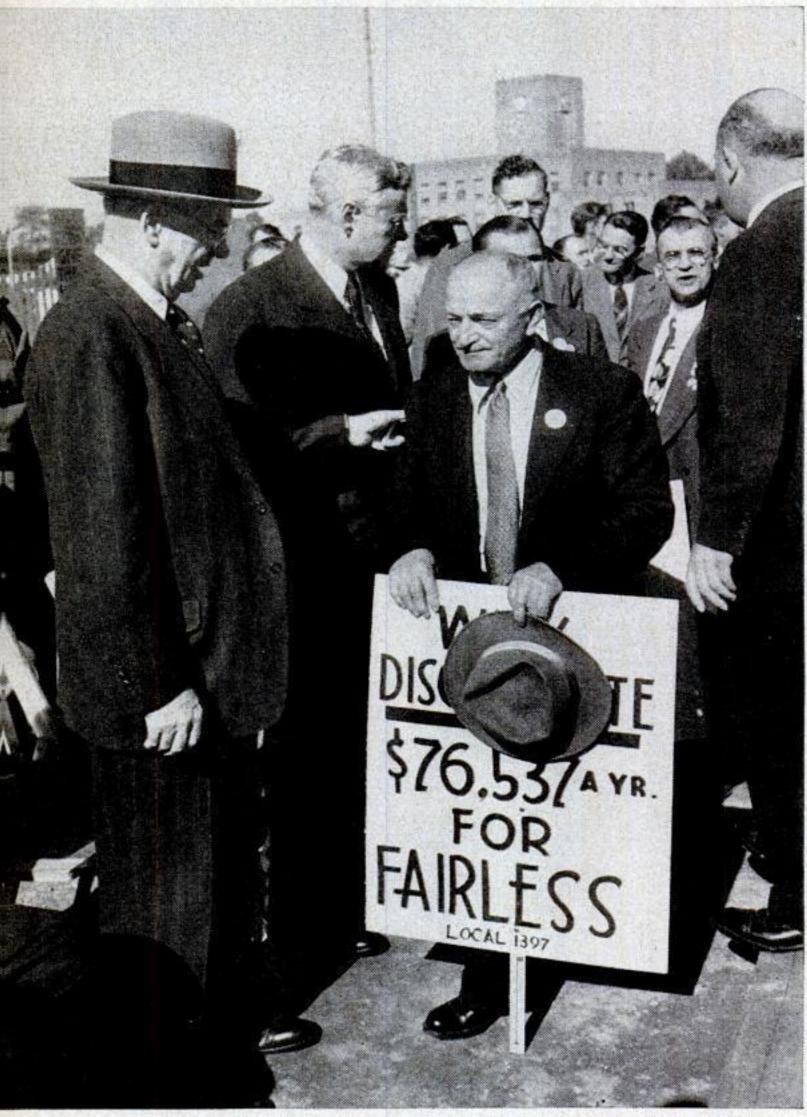
New York: New York Central cancels 89 steam trains, will cancel 100 more.

Erie, Pa.: General Electric has laid off 1,500 men, plans to lay off 6,000 more.

Bettendorf, Iowa: 3,000 J. I. Case workers (farm equipment) on a 4-day week.

Washington: Commerce's Sawyer estimates 2 million unemployed by Nov. 1.

THIS IS HOW PHIL MURRAY RALLIES THE STRIKERS

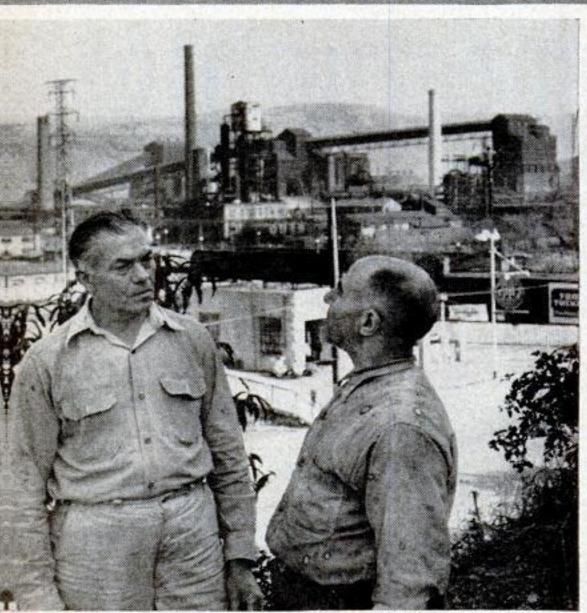


MURRAY'S PRIZE EXHIBIT, displayed before striking steelworkers at Homestead, is Andrew Girasek (with sign), who gets a pension of 29¢ a month from U.S. Steel. Union claims the average is \$5. Company points out gaps in Girasek's service, admits its worker-contributory plan is archaic, says that it is eager to improve it.



STRATEGY SESSION is held by "The Boss" on Oct. 13 with union negotiating committee in a dispute with the Aluminum Company of America. Four days later Murray's union struck 16,000 workers at nine Alcoa plants over the same demand that shut down steel—the union's demand for a 10¢-an-hour company contribution for pensions and insurance.

THIS IS HOW A STRIKER SPENDS HIS IDLE TIME



IDLE STEELWORKER Bill Felicetty (left) of Clareton, Pa., who has spent 44 of his 57 years in mills, talks with fellow striker Angelo Donofrio on a hill which overlooks smokestacks of idle Carnegie-Illinois steel works.



SIMPLE DINNER for Felicetty family of nine has chuck roast as main dish; Mrs. Felicetty has quit buying top cuts of meat. Son Al (*upper right*) is also a steelworker on strike. Felicettys were in better shape than most, with \$536 in the bank and a home paid for.



FEEDING THE PIGEONS outside his home helps Felicetty while away time; he says they make him think of the farm to which he hopes to retire some day and raise fighting cocks. He has



STUMP SPEECH by Murray exhorts Gary steelworkers audience of 10,000 on Oct. 18. He quoted steel executives' high salaries and pensions ("I would not mind if these men were not tappin' the till, you understand"). Murray made four such speeches within eight days, mainly to pep up younger strikers, who are not yet concerned with necessity for pensions.



STRIKE SLOGANS proclaim loyalty to The Boss during Gary speech. Murray pulled out all the stops in his speechmaking; by turns he was humorous, sentimental, plaintive, angry. Some Gary strikers thought he was not angry enough ("We knew all that stuff. . . . He could have made the "V" for Victory sign, like Churchill").



a blind faith in his union, was among the first to volunteer to wear C.I.O. buttons when steel industry was organized in 1936. Says Felicetty, "If you ain't got a union, you ain't got nothing."



WEARING HIS BEST SUIT, Felicetty drops by plant to talk to his friends on picket duty. Felicetty does an eight-hour stint every Tuesday night. When he began work at 14 he was paid only \$5.30 for a six-day week; now he takes home \$66.75 for a five-day week.



GREETING HIS CHILDREN, Carol, 13, and Joey, 7, as they return from school is one thing Felicetty likes about strike; usually he is working at that hour. He hopes Joey will be the first of his nine children to go to college.

Strikes CONTINUED



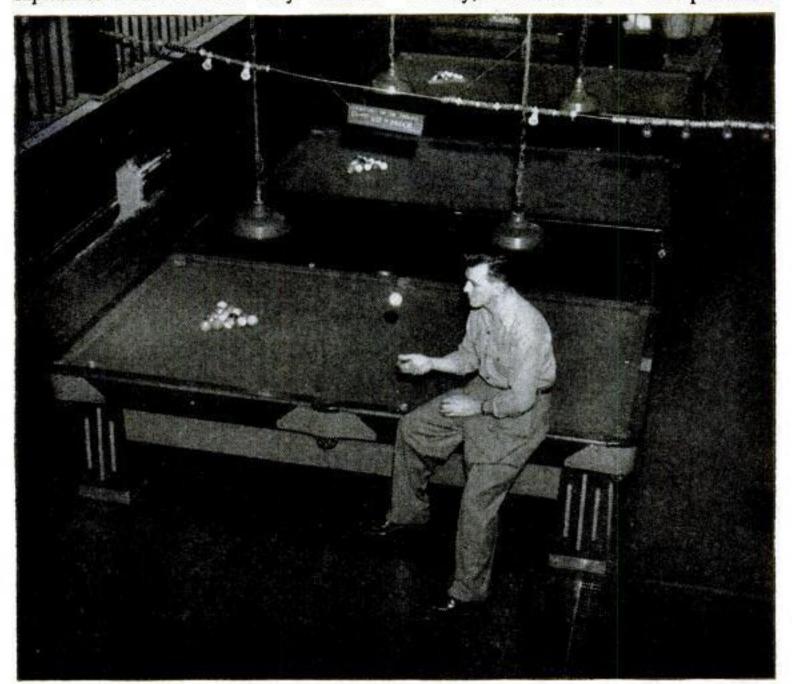
IN A VACANT SHOWROOM in Gary a sign announces easy credit for steelworkers who are short of cash. Gary department stores reported business off 40% at week's end.



RECRUITING POSTER for Red Cross capitalizes on boredom of Gary workers.



UNION HANGOUT, the Subway Club in Gary, has turned bar into a soup kitchen.



IN A VACANT POOLROOM in Homestead, Pa. Owner Ed Lapko idly juggles a ball. "You know how much my business is off, bub? Eighty per cent, bub, eighty per cent."

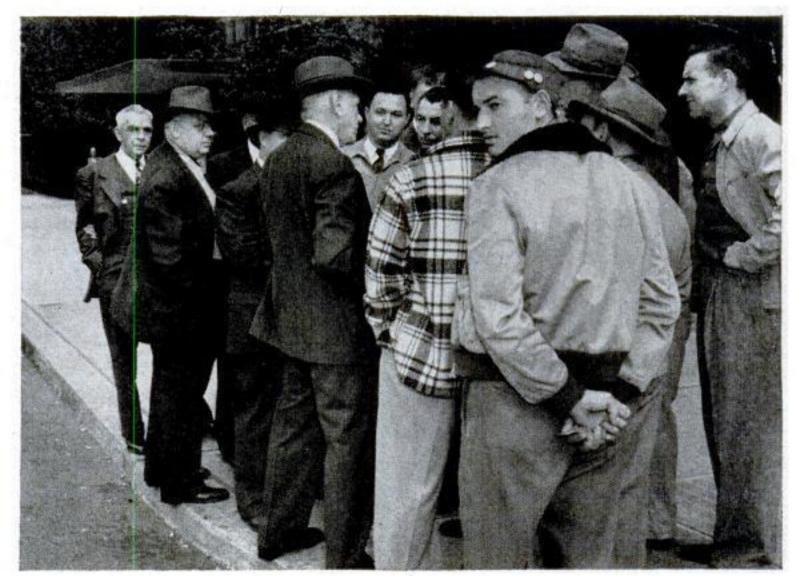


MEDIATOR CHING (center) and his assistants board a train for talks with U.S. Steel in New York.

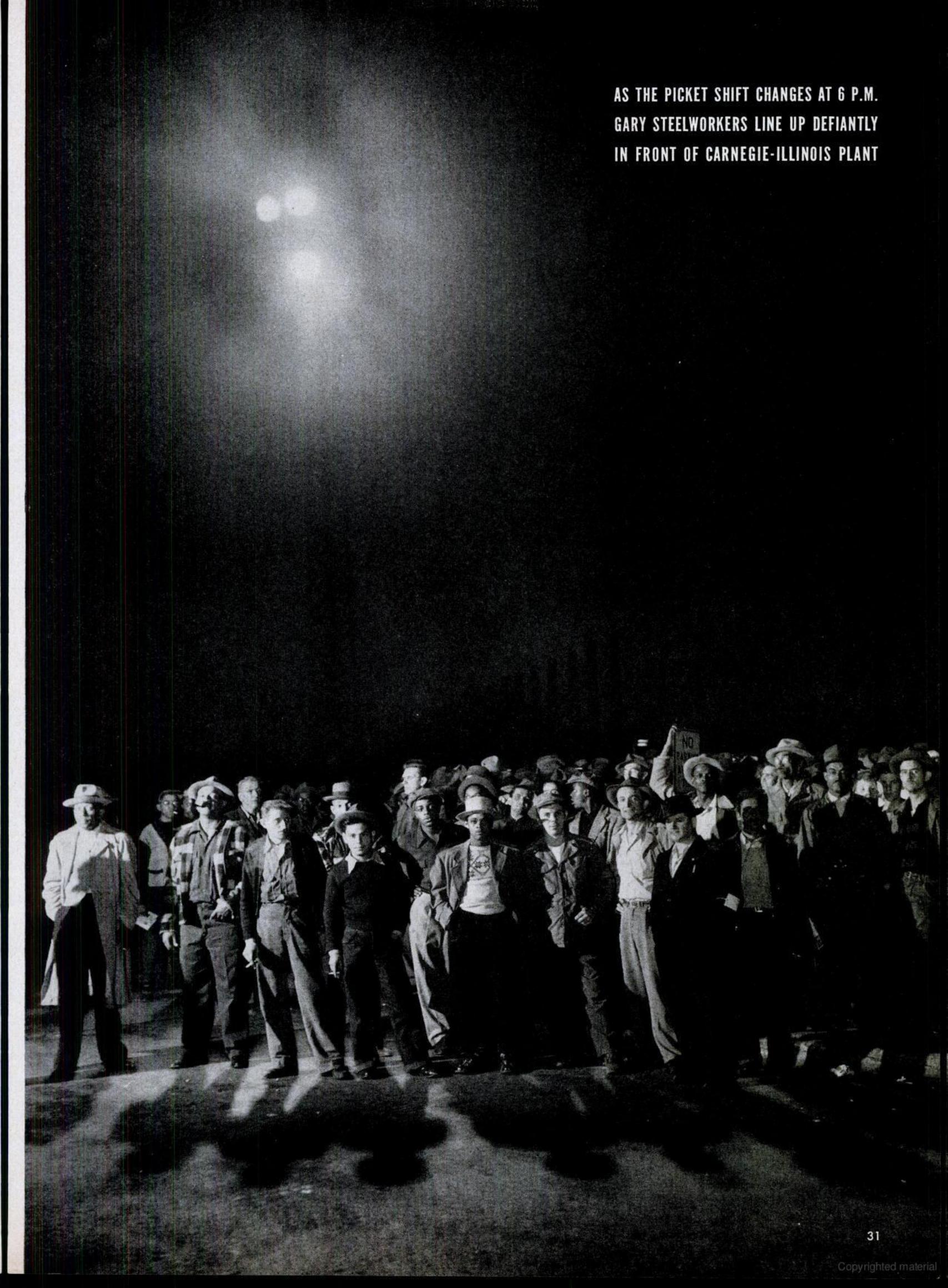
WANTED: A FORMULA TO SAVE FACE

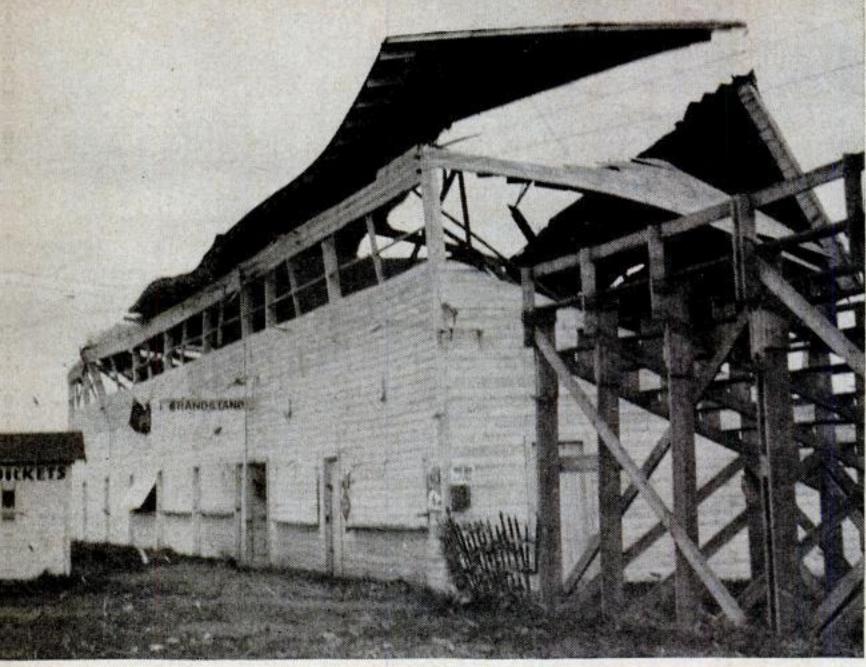
It was the task of U.S. Conciliation Chief Cyrus Ching (above), a cheerful, pipe-smoking Republican, to find a formula that would settle the steel strike and save face on both sides. U.S. Steel insisted the pension question was a moral issue; so did the C.I.O.'s Phil Murray. Murray's bargaining position was difficult in that he had little left to concede; he had given up a fourth-round wage increase when he accepted a presidential fact-finding report (which recommended a company-financed 10¢-an-hour package). On the eve of next week's C.I.O. convention in Cleveland, where he expects to have a showdown with Communist-line unions in the C.I.O., Murray could hardly retreat in steel negotiations without weakening his hand. One angle which was being gingerly explored at week's end: let the steel companies pay the 10¢ demanded by Murray, supplemented by a 2¢ workers' contribution, which some steelworkers already pay.

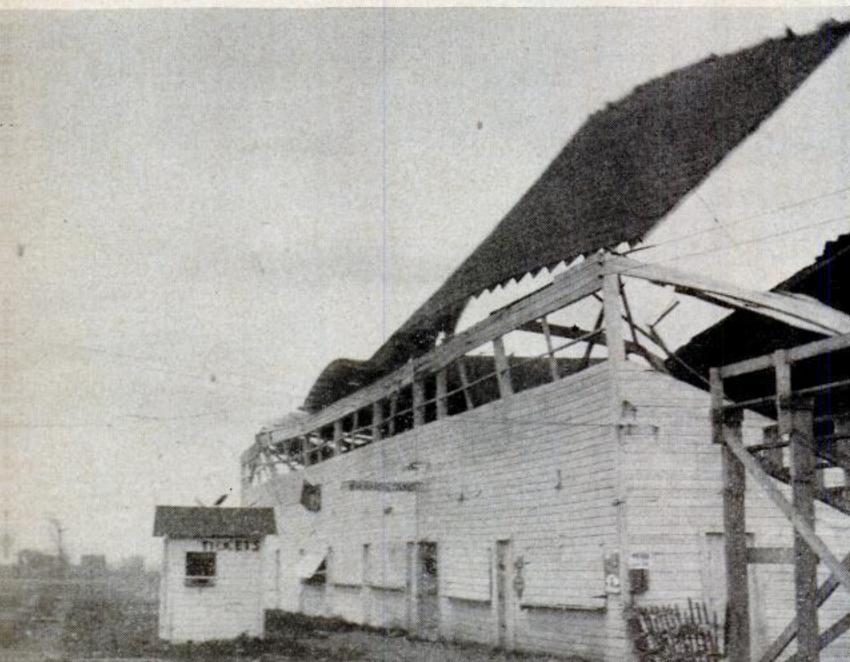
Meanwhile, whatever Ching might accomplish in steel, the U.S. economy would not regain its full-throated roar until John L. Lewis sent his miners back to the pits. With the nation's coal stock pile diminishing at the rate of eight million tons a week, fruitless negotiations between Lewis and the mine operators were still dragging on. As usual nobody knew whether or not he really wanted to settle. At week's end President Truman had made no move to intervene in either strike, on the theory that as yet there was no national emergency to warrant White House action. But to local merchants (left) and manufacturers who were beginning to feel the pinch, it looked as if the emergency were already here.

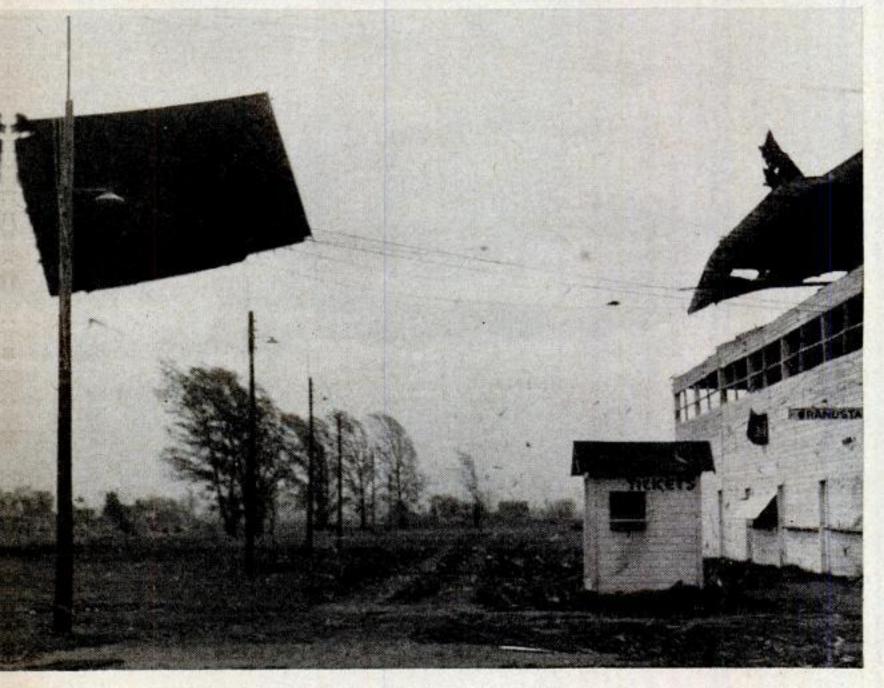


STEEL EXECUTIVE, Bethlehem Board Chairman Eugene Grace (center), stops to talk with union pickets outside firm's offices. He argued company's case for 30 minutes.









RAISING THE ROOF A big wind put on the most impressive show the Dakota County fairgrounds at Farmington, Minn. ever saw. While two Dakota County Tribune photographers braced themselves outside the grandstand, the 89-mile gusts fluttered the roof like a blanket (top and center), then sent chunks of it sailing through the air.



ABORDER INCIDENT Before Chinese Communist flags in Shataukok village, which marks the China-Hong Kong border, British and Red captors of Canton made their first cautious contact. Inspector R. M. Oliver and a Red irregular shook hands, chatted, parted.





COASTAL ACCIDENT On fire at sea 140 miles off Grays Harbor, Wash., the schooner Salina Cruz capsized, scattering its cargo. The crew of 17 was saved.





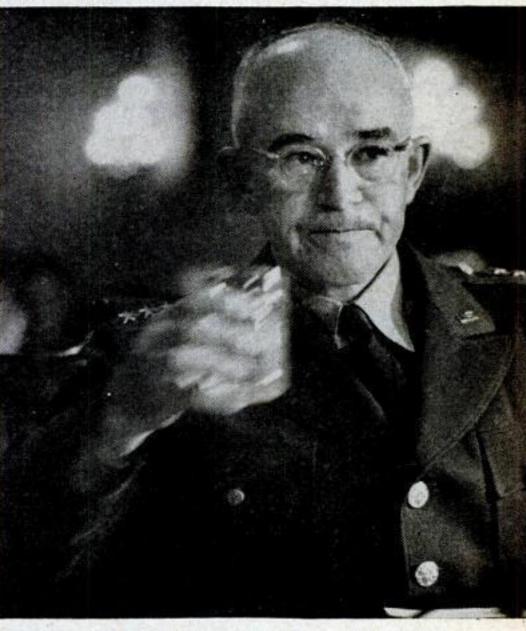
AIR FORCE GENERALS VANDENBERG (RIGHT) AND NORSTAD ARE CALM AS THEIR SIDE IS HEARD BY COMMITTEE



EISENHOWER SAYS A UNIFIED U.S. CAN WHIP THE WORLD



LOUIS JOHNSON BELIEVES THAT UNIFICATION WILL WORK



OMAR BRADLEY PAUSES BETWEEN HARSH WORDS



CHAIRMAN VINSON PEERS THROUGH SPECTACLES

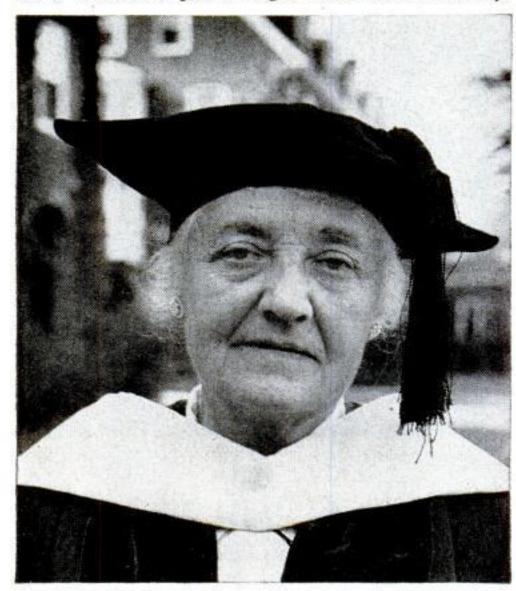
NAVY REBUKED It was the Air Force's turn to hit the Navy line last week as the House Armed Services Committee concluded its hearings on the threatened breakdown of inification. The severest blows, however, came not from the Air Force generals, who simply presented a sober defense of their strategic concept. It was General Omar Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, who delivered the stinging rebuke to

the admirals. They were, he said, "fancy Dans" who want to "call the signals." Bradley's concept of the Navy's job: they should sink subs and keep the shipping lanes open. Top priority would go to strategic bombing and large-scale ground warfare. Though the admirals bristled, General Eisenhower and Defense Secretary Johnson wound up with the almostcomforting assurances that unification was actually suffering nothing more than severe growing pains.





HISTORY TEACHER Helen Maud Cam, Cambridge graduate and first woman professor on Harvard's Arts and Sciences faculty, also won an LL.D. "A profound student," she is an expert in English constitutional history.



NOVELIST Mary Ellen Chase, graduate of University of Maine, received the lone Litt.D. She teaches English at Smith, which recognized her "extraordinary range of learning." Best known among her novels: Silas Crockett.



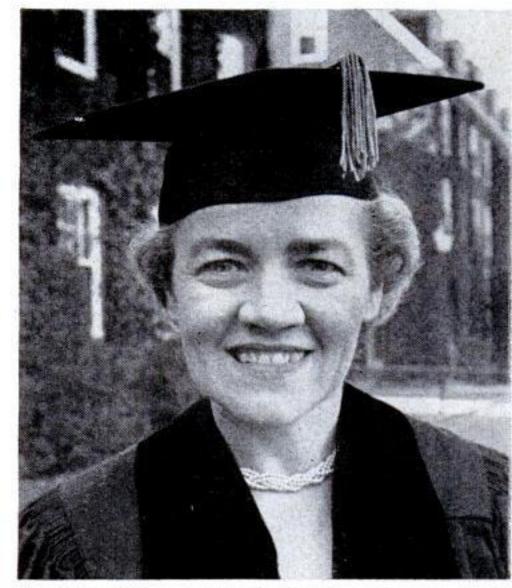
BIOCHEMIST Gerty T. Cori, alumna of a Prague university, was honored as a Doctor of Science. With her husband, she won a 1947 Nobel Prize for carbohydrate research. They teach at Washington University, St. Louis.



BIOGRAPHER Margaret Clapp, a graduate and new president of Wellesley College, was given an LL.D. for "scholarly achievement." Her historical biography Forgotten First Citizen: John Bigelow won a Pulitzer prize.



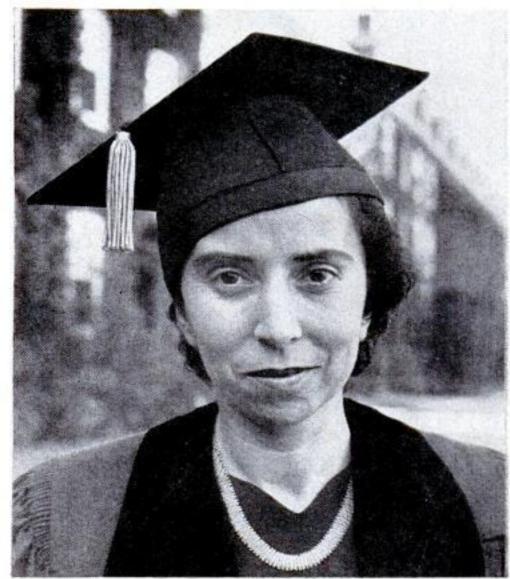
EDUCATOR Sarah Gibson Blanding, who stindied at Kentucky, Columbia and in London, won Smith's LL.D. as president of rival Vassar—its first woman prexy. She was also first woman appointed to ECA's advisory board.



SENATOR Margaret Smith of Maine, who missed college, became an LL.D. First woman to serve both as representative and senator, she was cited by the college as one of America's "ablest and most valuable public servants."



JOURNALIST Barbara Ward, an Oxford alumna and at 35 foreign editor of London's *Economist*, got her LL.D. because "she has become one of the most widely read and most influential persons in the entire Western world."



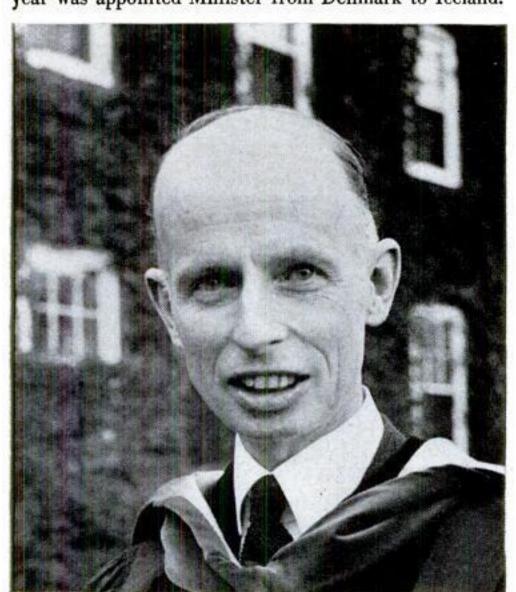
SOCIAL WORKER Maria Elena Rincon, an alumna of the University of Mexico, became an L.H.D. (Doctor of Humane Letters). She organized and is chief of medical social service in Mexico City's big Children's Hospital.



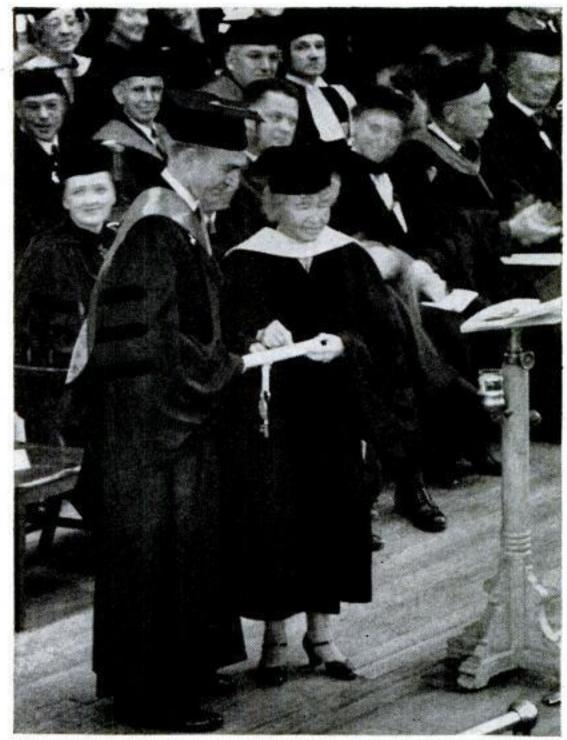
JURIST Charlotte Bequignon Lagarde, first woman law graduate of Caen University, was awarded an LL.D. She is France's leading woman lawyer, the lone woman justice of the French supreme court and mother of six children.



pen graduate, received an LL.D. as a leader among Denmark's women. She is a United Nations delegate and last year was appointed Minister from Denmark to Iceland.



PROXY WINNER Dr. Eelco N. Van Kleffens, Dutch ambassador at Washington, accepted an LL.D. for Princess Wilhelmina, former Queen of The Netherlands, "for 50 years the just and stalwart sovereign of her country."



SMITH'S NEW PREXY GETS SCROLL FROM ALUMNA MORROW

HONORS FOR 12 WOMEN

On its 75th anniversary Smith bestows degrees and installs president

The campus at Northampton, Mass. was unseasonably neat, swept clean of autumn leaves, and the freshmen looked totally changed: instead of their usual slouchy blue jeans all 579 first-year girls wore white, with yellow class ribbons across their chests. In starched precision they flanked the academic procession (below). The occasion was the seating of the fifth president of Smith, largest of U.S. women's private colleges. The event coincided with Smith's 75th anniversary. Mrs. Dwight Morrow, most distinguished of 26,000 alumnae and chairman of the college trustees, handed the symbols of office to Dr. Benjamin Fletcher Wright, 49 (above), late of Har-

vard. The next day President Wright bestowed honorary degrees on 12 distinguished women.

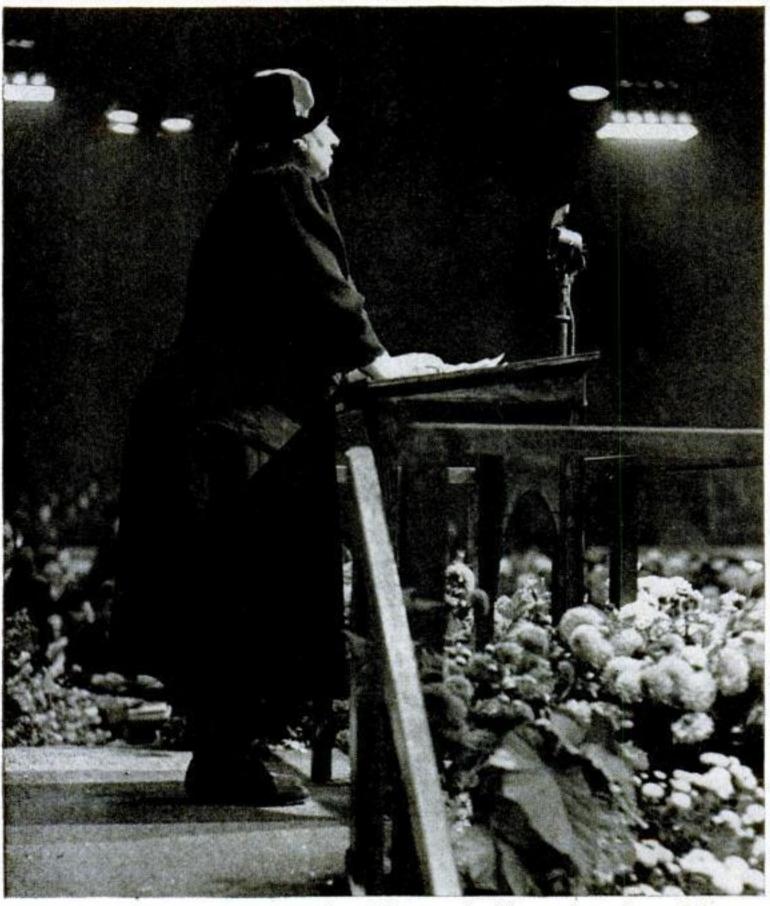
When spinster Sophia Smith founded her college, she hoped "not to render my sex less feminine but to develop . . . the powers of womanhood and furnish women with means of usefulness, happiness and honor. . . ." It was noticeable that Smith, in spreading anniversary honors, had found no winner on this occasion who could call Smith alma mater, nor could any of 10 women painters whose works were exhibited during the week. But among 75 women authors whose books were displayed, Smith claimed five—equal to Vassar; 38 had not gone to college at all.



BETWEEN LINES OF FRESHMEN IN WHITE THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION WINDS ACROSS SMITH'S GRASSY CAMPUS

THE CONSERVATIVE WAY IS THE RIGHT ROAD — FOR BRITAIN

THEIR HEADS BOWED, CONSERVATIVE LEADERS LISTEN TO PRAYER BY BISHOP OF LONDON (CENTER) AS THE CONFERENCE OPENS. ANTHONY EDEN IS AT EXTREME LEFT



WORKERS' PROBLEMS are explained by a portly delegate from shippard district, where unemployment is now rising. Tories are making a big bid for trade union support.

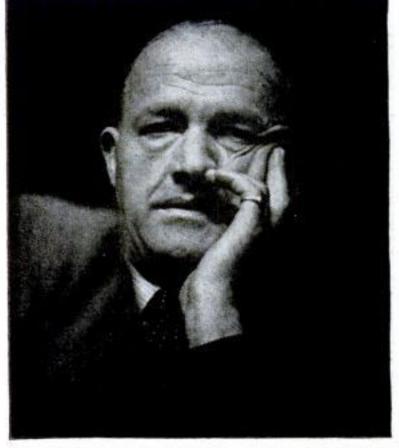
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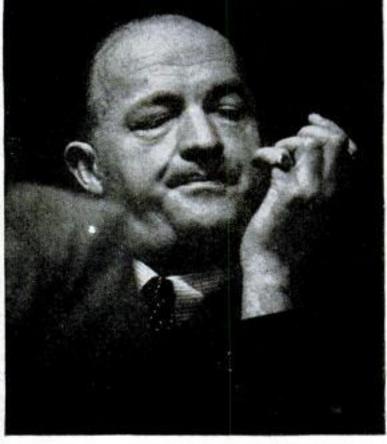
British Conservatives prepare for general election and all-out attack on "soft underbelly" of socialism

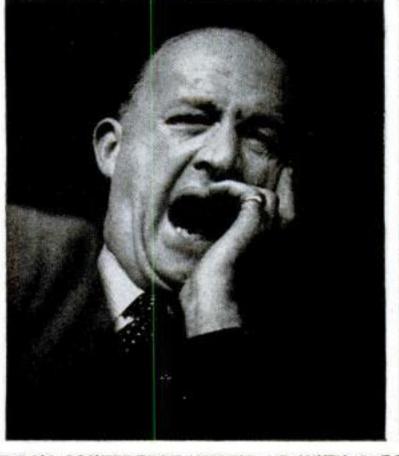
In the echoing gloom of London's huge Empress Hall, converted for the occasion from a skating rink, 4,500 British Conservatives gathered last week at their 70th annual convention to lay plans for blasting the Labor government out of office in the forthcoming general election. Winston Churchill, recalling a famous wartime phrase, sounded the keynote: an all-out attack on the "soft underbelly" of socialism. Confidently the leaders, marshaled on a floodlit platform, opened the proceedings with prayer and a ringing hymn, "Thy kingdom come, O God, Thy rule, O Christ, begin. . . . "

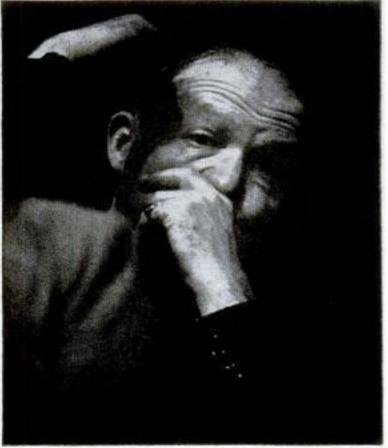
Some of Labor's weaknesses had been shown up in the great debate over the pound's devaluation (Life, Oct. 3), but the Conservatives were still cautious. Churchill, joined by "Rab" Butler, the party's usually wide-awake policy leader (below), banned all positive statements in order to present as small a target as possible while jabbing Labor's other weak spots. Rank-and-file party workers, already organized for a major effort, requested specific proposals for their electorates. Although these went unanswered they loyally "viewed with alarm" the mistakes of Labor's swollen and inefficient bureaucracy, kept fretful questions on tax and economic problems to lunchtime discussions.

In the midst of the proceedings Prime Minister Clement Attlee dashed the Conservative hopes for an early election by announcing there would be none this year. But the delegates, pointing toward next spring, put on their best bull-dog expression, echoing the sentiments of Anthony Eden: "This government has spent too much time destroying wealth, and too little time creating it." Privately, however, many conference delegates wondered whether a negative attack would be enough to convince the people that the Conservatives could do it better. "If only," said one, "the government will keep on making mistakes."

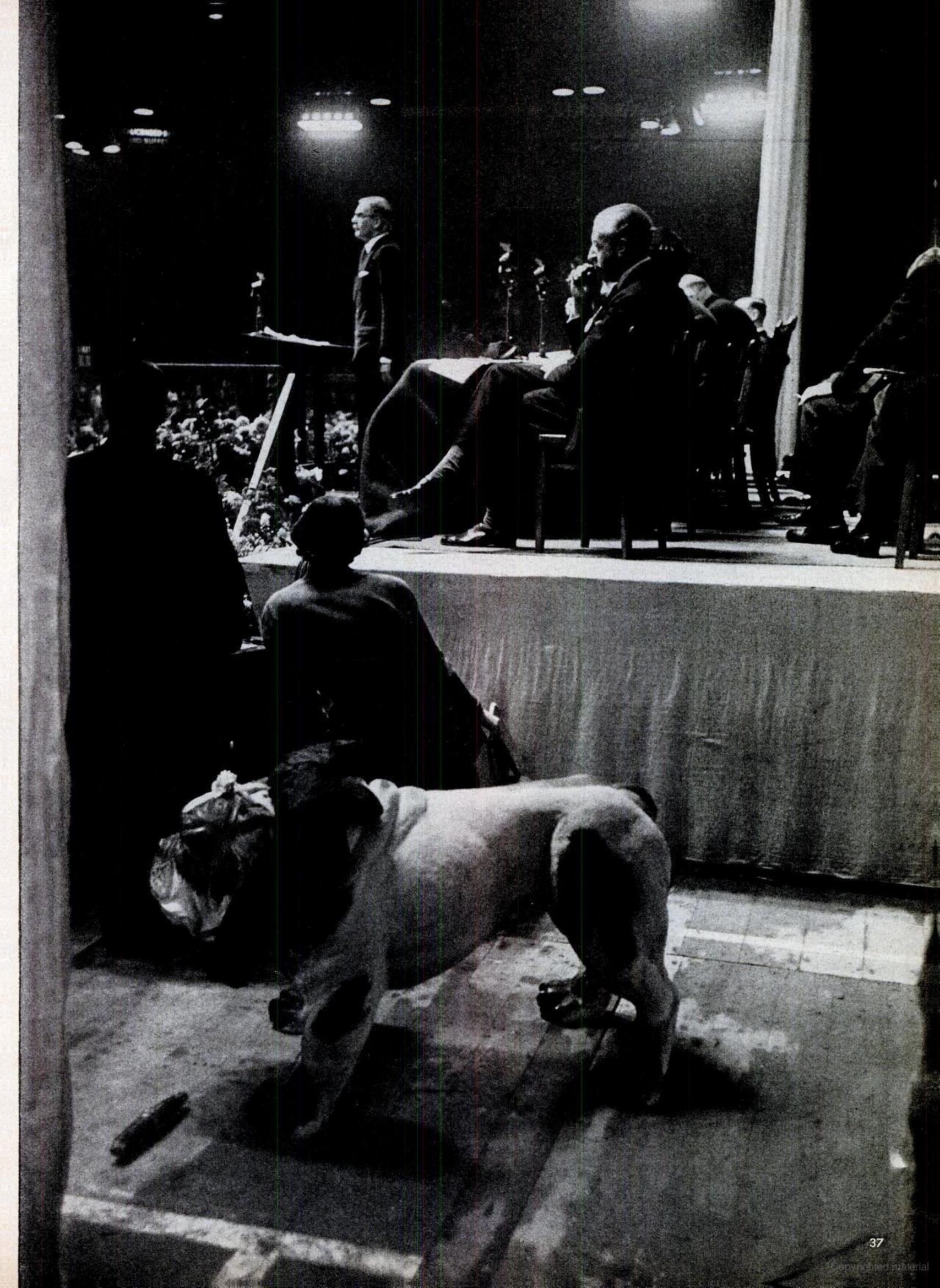








TORY STRATEGIST R. A. ("RAB") BUTLER WAS TIRED AND SHOWED IT AS THE THREE-DAY CONFERENCE WOUND UP WITH A ROUSING SPEECH BY WINSTON CHURCHILL



THE REVIVAL OF ELEGANCE

A LOOK AT THE ARTS SHOWS THAT IT MAY BE IN THE MAKING

It was a news story on the fashion page of the New York Times that first bothered us. Noting, as did Life last week (p. 49), that some of the fashions of the '20s were returning, the Times reporter went on to paint a picture of the coming generation of woman, a bustless, hipless, waistless figure dressed in a plaited meal sack. "Can this be true?" we asked the office romantic. "Don't you believe it," he said, grabbing for the nearest copy of Vogue. "Why, look here. Look at those curves. Women are women once more. Romance. The surge to romance will continue. The people want elegance. They may be worried about China and Communism tomorrow, but they want elegance now."

The romantic's fervor lifted our spirits. But the nagging doubt inspired by the suggestion that the '20s were about to be re-enacted remained. The '20s were lively and full of beans, but you would hardly call them elegant. Not with Dreiser and Hemingway setting the pace in fiction, or with gloomy Eugene O'Neill dominating the theater, or with a spare functionalism prevailing in architecture. Elegance, to us, means Rubens curves or Renoir color, and the '20s had little enough of such things. Still, the period did strike the romantic prelude to elegance in certain areas. The spirit of a wild, sometimes goofy, adventure was abroad. The popular music of the '20s had beautiful melodic line. And the great sports figures of the era—Babe Ruth, Bobby Jones, Bill Tilden, Jack Dempsey-all had style. If we were going back to the '20s for inspiration, something of worth might be salvaged by the turn.

The office romantic, however, didn't see us going anywhere but straight ahead to something sumptuous, opulent and wonderful. Still frightened by that hipless, meal-sack figure conjured up by the Times, we began to ruminate upon the contemporary manifestations of the human spirit. The rumination tended to confirm the office romantic. We noted the pictures of the Sadler's Wells Ballet troupe in the papers, surely a manifestation of elegance. A single ballet troupe doesn't make a romantic summer, but the significant note on ballet duly cropped up in Variety, the showman's bible. "Brokers," so Variety reported, "have been calling ballet the hottest thing in New York since South Pacific."

So much for a crass statement of one phase of elegance. Pursuing our ruminations through the world of the dance, we noted the return of the waltz, which is played more frequently these days in all the night spots. In the obscure, highly stylized world of figure-skate dancing, the waltz had recently proliferated with the addition of several new variations, and a beautiful new ice dance, the Paso Doble, had come in from Europe. Dancing of all kinds—ballroom, stage, ballet, skating—had become more intricate in its stylized footwork. The inelegant improvisations of jitterbugging were on the wane.

So, too, was beloop in music; the score of South Pacific was leading the way back to the new appreciation of melody and sweet jazz. The world of "frozen music" that is architecture, which is naturally slow to change, still clung to the rather severe functionalism of the "international style," but interiors seemed to be changing in a romantic direction. The craze for antiques continued to empty the barn lofts of the back country, and even the rather fussy elegance of the '90s seemed to be at an antique collector's premium. People were unashamedly mixing their styles in interior decoration; they wanted curves and the note of comfort.

Looking around us at the office garb of businessmen, we detected little elegance. But the vogue for colored sports clothes—worn, incidentally, as general street apparel by more and more males—continued to grow. As for the necktie, it continued to be discarded. But where it was worn it tended to break like a Roman candle into a variety of sunbursts, sunsets and wild, tumultuous explosions. The modern necktie might be elegance without taste, but it was still elegance of a kind.

If we were to believe the words of the song Be a Mess, from the new revue Touch and Go, the movies were primarily dedicated to the exploitation of scripts about rape, murder and madness. But the movies of 1948 and 1949 had just caught up to the novels of 1946 and 1947. Fiction had become healthier since then. The note of romantic elegance was still missing in the fiction of 1949, for our novelists were still practicing the higher cannibalism, serving up their friends and ex-friends on satirical platters. John Horne Burns devoured the school in which he once taught (Lucifer With a Book); John Marquand ate up his old home town (Point of No Return). But from the college campuses came the news that a revival of F. Scott Fitzgerald was in the making. Since Fitzgerald was the one novelist of the '20s who believed in romance and the elegant flourish, this was a portent worth noting. It might foreshadow a literary revolution.

"Gracious living" was, of course, an old story with the women's magazines, which had been departmentalizing it since the '20s and even before. But it was not until 1949 that a columnist in a left-wing newspaper (Sylvia F. Porter in the New York Post) got around to insisting that lipsticks, hand-bags of assorted colors and fur coats were necessities of life that should be removed from the luxury-tax category. If life had become that gracious for a leftwing commentator, then elegance couldn't be very far behind.

Our office romantic might be wrong in his prediction of a surge toward elegance in the next phase of American life. Elegance in the past had always come from a class that lived by a code, and without the code any push to elegance was apt to end as the mere packaging of commercialized glamour. But the more we ruminated on the subject, the more the office romantic seemed right. At any rate it could be a fine creative thing if we were all to give the romantic the benefit of the doubt. We get what we ask for, you know.

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THE SPIRIT IS MISSING

Delivering his harsh attack on Yugoslavia's election to the U.N. Security Council the other day, Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky kept repeating a word that sounded like "gentlemenskoye." That sent us scurrying to an English-Russian dictionary. Allowing for the transliterations of their alphabet, it turned out that the Russians have taken over the word "gentleman" from the English and the Americans. We don't mean to say that they aren't welcome to the word, but when they use "it in international relations it would be nice if they would pay more attention to the meaning.

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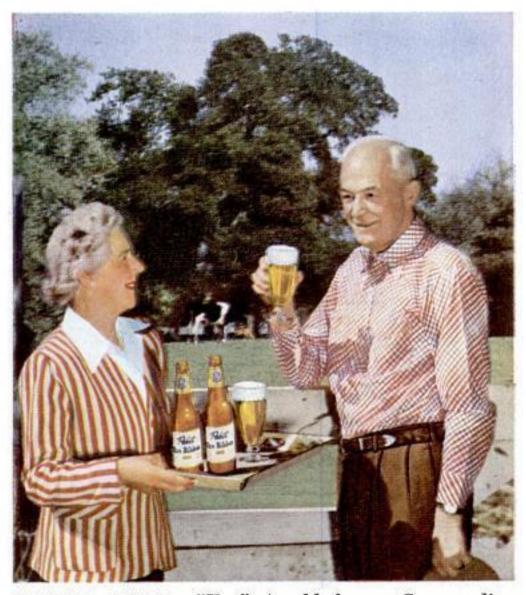
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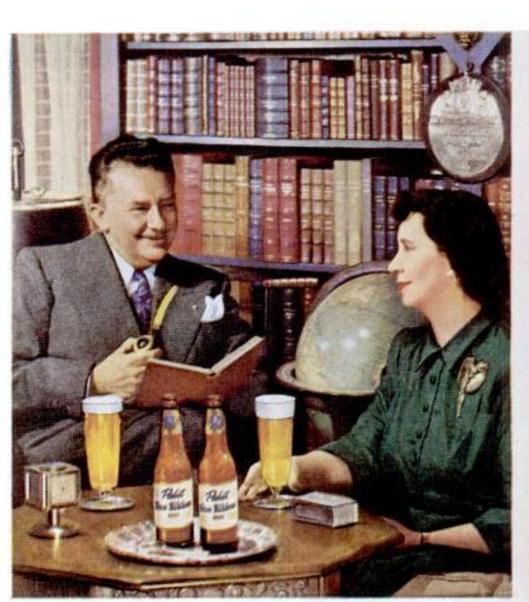
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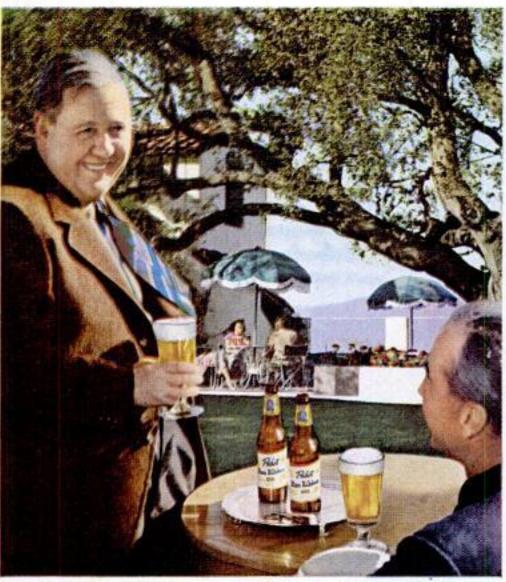
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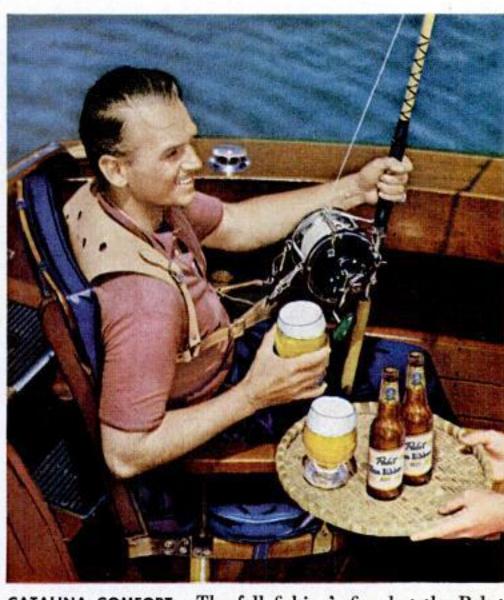
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The man whose thinking has influenced American education more than any other individual of his time turned 90 last week, and even those independent intellectuals who still differ with him turned out for a mass display of affection at a birthday banquet in New York's Hotel Commodore. White-haired Philosopher John Dewey was a reluctant guest of honor—this was a tribute he had tried to head off. But he recognized that it might be an important event to those who had followed him in his lifelong fight to make education do more for more people.

For 50 of his 90 years John Dewey has been the center of controversy. Considered the rightful successor to William James, the great pragmatist who believed that the

true function of thought is as a guide to action, Dewey has been damned quite as warmly as he has been praised. Twenty years ago he was labeled the leading "Red" in American education. But he is, above all things, a believer in orderly change and reasoned progress. He is a philosopher of many sides, and in one special field he has staked a claim that no one will dispute. Progressive education became a synonym for John Dewey at the turn of the century. As a young professor he decided traditional

teaching methods were stuffy, out of touch with reality and, worse, authoritarian. Children are more important than the subject matter, he felt, and they learn better by living a real experience. So he started an experimental school at the University of Chicago to prove it. Today no U.S. school has escaped the effects of the educational revolution he touched off, and parents still debate its merits as warmly as educators have argued with Dewey.

Through it all Dewey has worked to free man from his own uncertainties. Whatever the long-term results of his labor, Dewey's place in the hearts of thoughtful people was secure. At his birthday party there were messages from leaders of a dozen nations and there were words of

> grateful praise from leaders in education, labor and the law.

> There was a note of unprogramed drama, too, when India's Prime Minister Nehru, who had broken away early from an elegant affair in his own honor at another hotel, strode excitedly into the ballroom to add his tribute. Dewey's speech was short and simple. Looking back over his life and ahead to days of trial, he restated his philosophy: "If we are ridden by fear, we lose faith in our fellow man—and that is the unforgivable sin."?



DR. AND MRS. DEWEY GET AN OVATION

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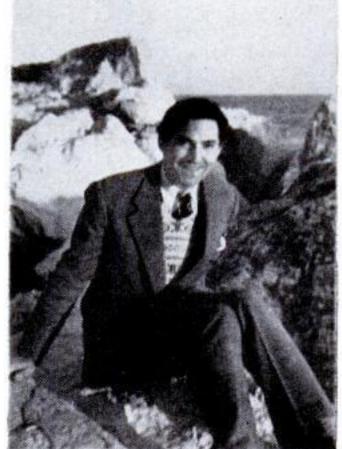


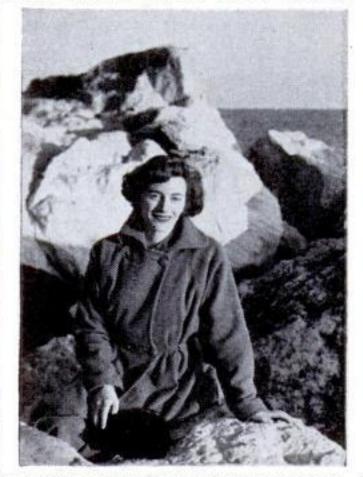
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ANTONY BEAUCHAMP

At Sea Island, Ga. on Oct. 18, the 32-year-old British photographer married Sarah Churchill, 34, actress daughter of Britain's wartime prime minister. Their romance began when Beauchamp (pronounced "Beecham") persuaded her to sit for a number of portraits, including one (top) for Life's cover (May 23). He also took candid shots and paused long enough to let her take a slightly fuzzy one of him (above, left).

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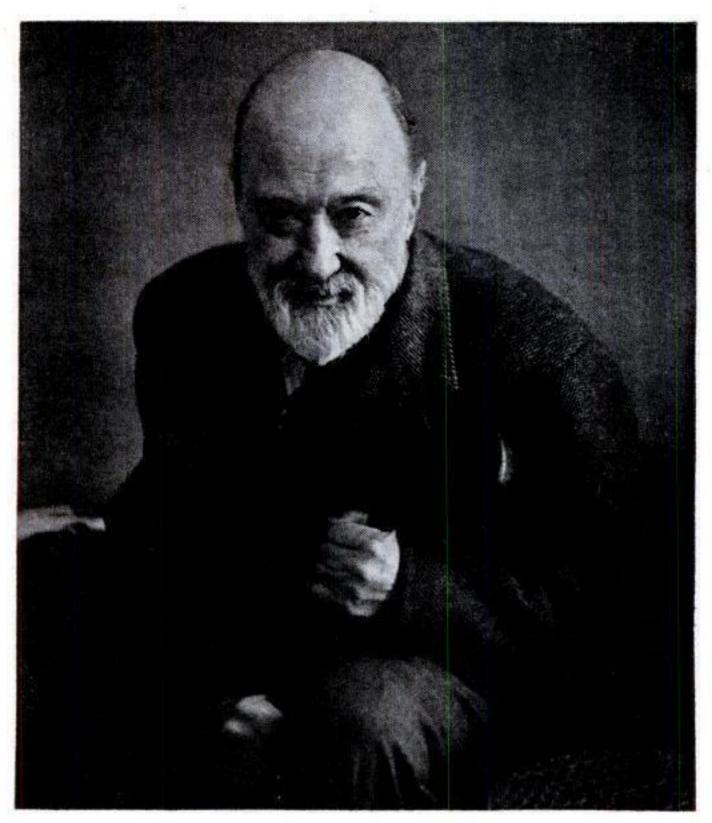
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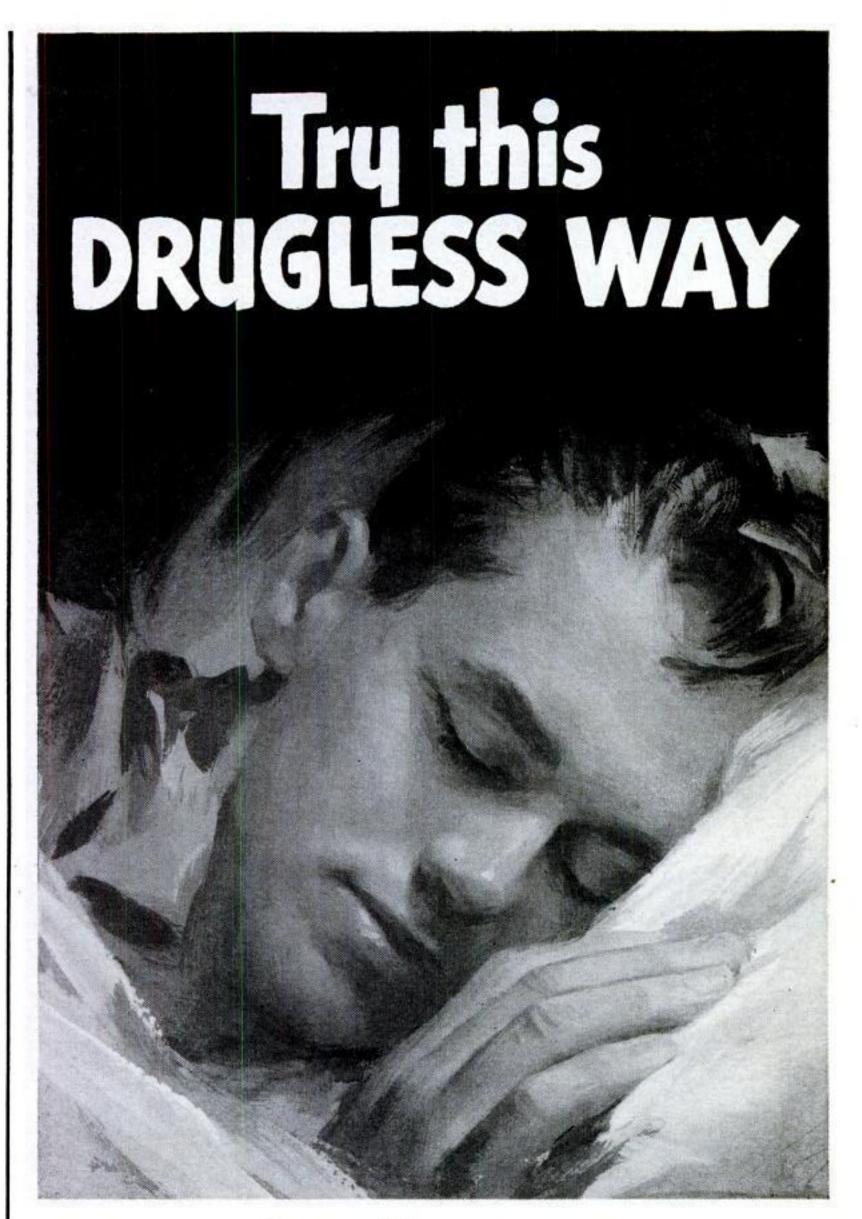
CHARLES E. IVES

Last week a fanatically shy, enigmatic man, who may well be America's greatest composer, passed his 75th birthday in West Redding, Conn. For Charles Edward Ives there were no parties, few news stories and no pictures. Except for snapshots, the only portrait ever taken of Ives (above) was made by Life Photographer W. Eugene Smith. The son of a Danbury, Conn. bandmaster and a graduate of Yale, Ives during his creative years lived a double life, working as an insurance agent by day and at night furiously writing his music. His works have homely titles—Concord, Mass., 1840–60; The Housatonic at Stockbridge; Like a Sick Eagle—but are exceedingly difficult to understand and to play, particularly when musicians encounter baffling notations such as "play as you will." In 1947 he was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for his Third Symphony (written in 1911). This dawn of recognition came 20 years after Charles Ives, worn out and sick, had written his last note of music.



Dr. Edwin G. Nourse

The chairman of President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers last week did something unusual for a public official: he quit because of his convictions. In a speech criticizing some practices of business, labor, even farmers, he saved his biggest barbs for government deficit spending. "Monetary and fiscal tricks," he said, "are a slippery road to misery." Next day the President coolly accepted Nourse's resignation.



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The idea of dyeing furs bright colors, which last year produced a few eccentric examples, has this season taken such hold that blue seal, green lamb and red mole are taken almost as much for granted as the standard blacks, grays and browns. Some women have found that a red or yellow coat is more versatile than a brown one, whether made of furlike cloth (cotton broadtail) or clothlike fur (velvety sealskin). Designers also predict bright dyeing will mean a comeback for recently unpopular pelts such as fox, almost vanished for a decade. However gentlemen thinking of Christmas should realize that nothing has taken the place of minklike mink.

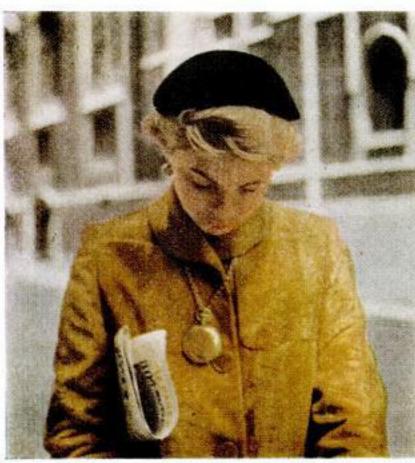
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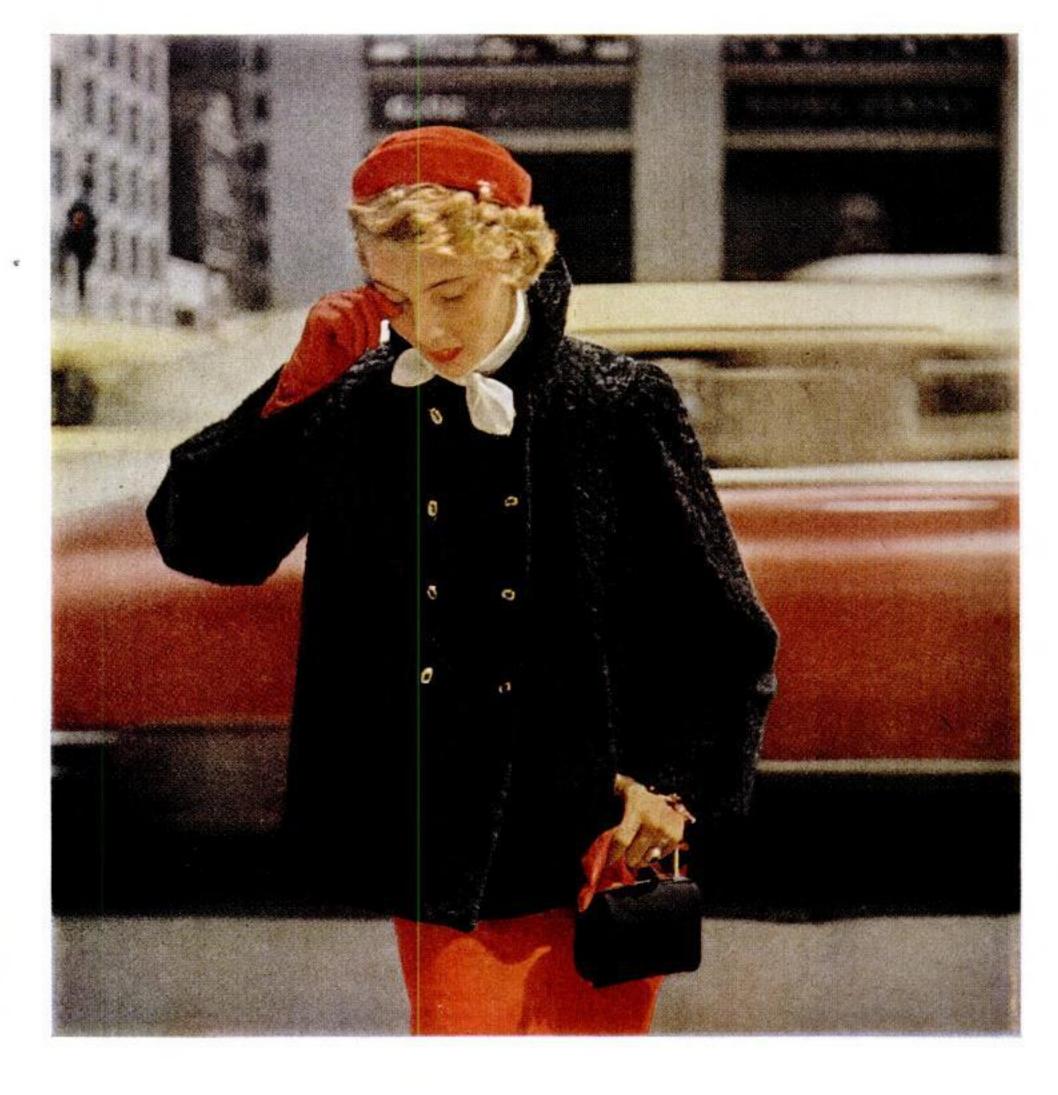


RED FITTED COAT on opposite page (Omar Kiam), made of moleskin, has matching beret and umbrella (Rex Inc.). Startling for street wear, red fur is becoming accepted for full-dress evenings.

RED MOLESKIN above costs \$1,000. Designer Esther Dorothy pioneered colored furs, using her bathroom sink as an experimental lab. She thinks that clipped dyed fox will be the next fur sensation.



GOLD COTTON BROADTAIL jacket (Ciro) made of fabric that looks like fur, costs \$25, comes in such surprising colors (turquoise, wine, shocking pink) that few observers will notice the fakery.

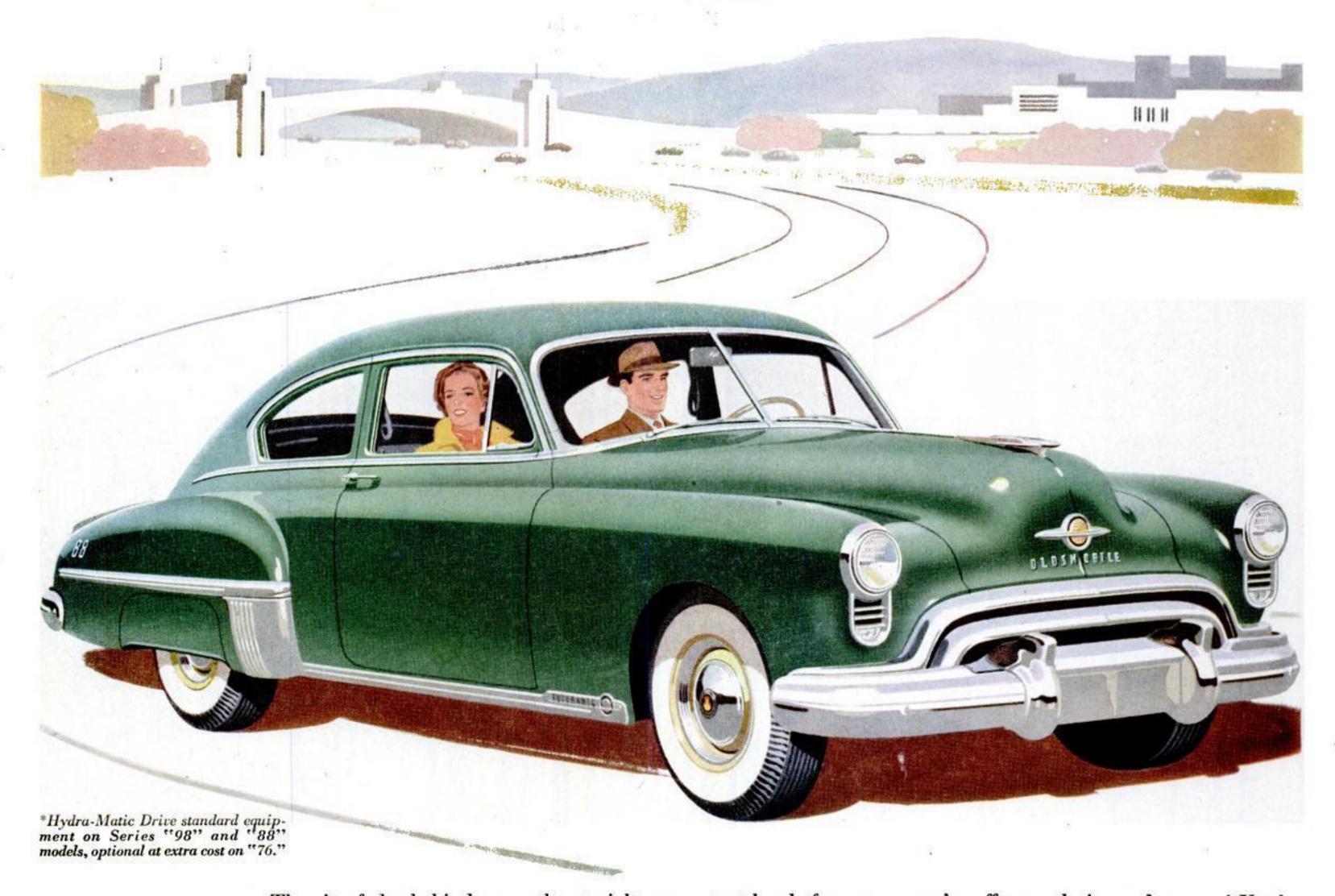


NAVY BLUE BROADTAIL (Esther Dorothy) short coat costs \$600, has emerald-green buttons. Blue furs are now considered almost as conservative as black, with dark green beginning to appear.



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FROSH JUST LOVE TO BE MISERABLE

At NYU they volunteer for hazing

Reformers have always been of the opinion that college freshmen deeply resent hazing by upperclassmen. This reasonable notion was rudely dispelled on Oct. 14 at New York University when some 60 members of the Class of 1953, clad in pajamas, voluntarily reported to the steps of the college library (above) for the annual freshman-ducking ceremony. At 8 p.m., shivering but docile as shorn lambs, they permitted a number of upperclassmen to 1) toss them into a horse trough full of icy water (right), and 2) beat their wet bottoms with heavy paddles (next page). One eager freshman anticipated his persecutors by jumping into the trough, in the manner of a Hindu widow immolating herself on a funeral pyre. Why these 60-odd students willingly submitted to this attack on their dignity was not clear. One said, "I'd feel guilty if I didn't. A lot of the others are doing it, and I want to show that I have class spirit." About 600 other members of the Class of 1953, obviously short on spirit but long on sense, skipped the whole business.



FRESHMEN ARE DUCKED to begin the evening's delightful ordeal. Here "King" Paul Nonkin, president

of the college humor society (wearing crown), splashes one youth while another pajamaed freshman waits turn.



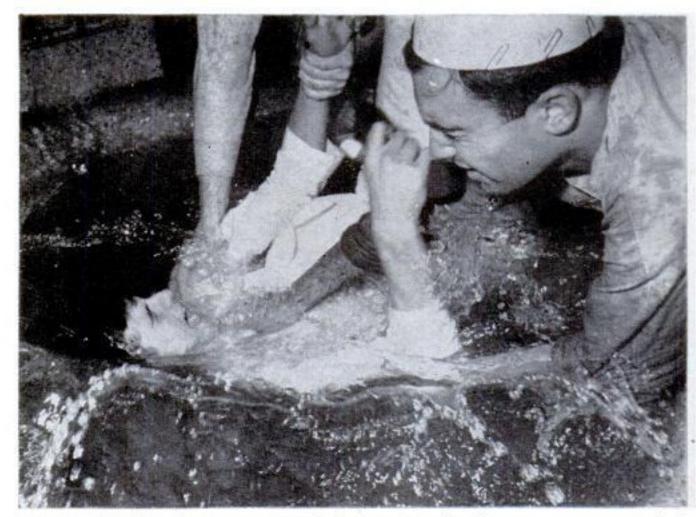
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Freshmen CONTINUED



INTO THE WATER with the aid of upperclass hands goes an openmouthed but cooperative freshman. Hazers were careful not to injure anyone seriously.



OUT OF THE WATER comes frozen freshman who looks much less enthusiastic than before. Some students were ducked many times, some only once.



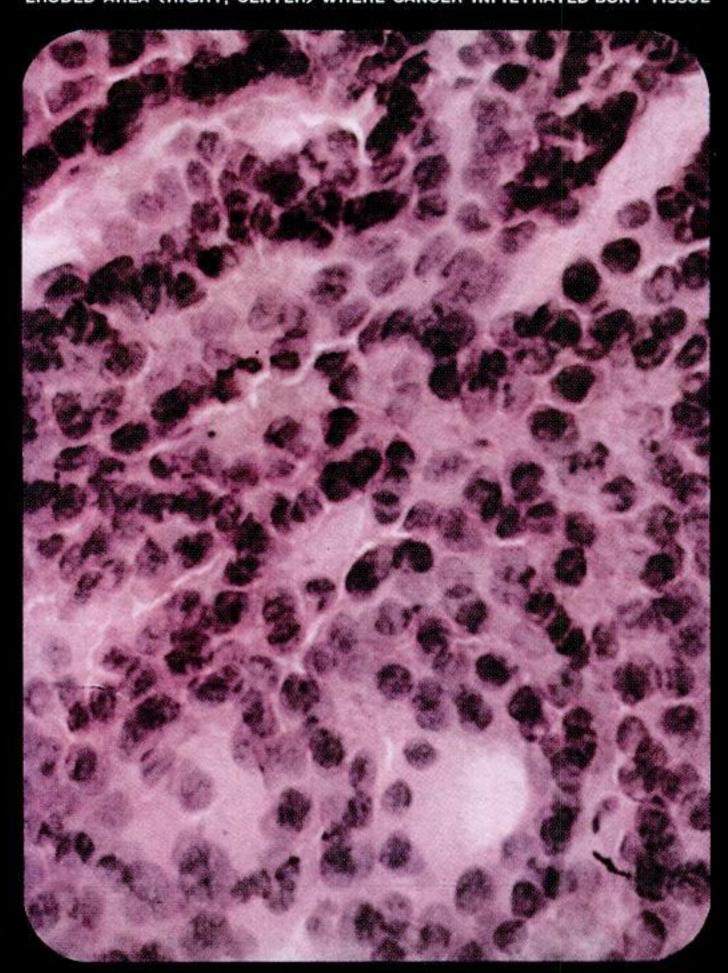
THE WET ARE WARMED after immersion by run down gantlet of paddleswinging seniors. This was last violent event of the painfully happy evening.



<u>MEDICINE</u>



SKULL SEGMENT REMOVED FROM BRUNSTEIN'S HEAD TO VERIFY CURE HAS ERODED AREA (RIGHT, CENTER) WHERE CANCER INFILTRATED BONY TISSUE



MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION OF TUMOR TISSUE REMOVED FROM BRUNSTEIN BEFORE TREATMENT REVEALS CANCER CELLS GROWING IN WILD DISORDER



OVAL-SHAPED, PURPLISH AREA ON THE INNER SURFACE OF SKULL SECTION REPRESENTS SCAR TISSUE AND DEAD CELLS LEFT BY DESTROYED TUMOR



AFTER TREATMENT, THE SCAR TISSUE LEFT AT THE SKULL TUMOR SITE IS FREE OF CANCER CELLS. THE LARGE, DARK PATCHES ARE BONE FRAGMENTS

RADIO-IODINE HALTS ONE TYPE OF CANCER

Radioactive chemical brings about history-making recovery of patient dying from thyroid tumors

The man shown in the contrasting portraits at right is a Brooklyn shoe salesman named Bernard Brunstein who is destined to become one of the most famous patients in medical history. Brunstein is the first person known to be cured (insofar as a cure can be established by medical tests on a living patient) of metastatic cancer, a form of the disease in which the malignancy spreads through the body from an original tumor. Metastatic cancer has always been 100% fatal. But Brunstein's tumors were destroyed in a simple, almost miraculous way: by the drinking of four doses of radioactive iodine.

When Brunstein was admitted to New York's Montefiore Hospital seven years ago

he appeared to be suffering from an overactive thyroid gland rather than from cancer. He had a very fast heart and quivering hands, and he was weak and emaciated. But examination revealed that he had no thyroid gland: it had been removed by surgery 19 years before when it had become cancerous. Apparently some of the cancer cells had sloughed off, however, and had been carried through the circulatory system to other parts of his body: eight cancerous tumors were found growing into the patient's lungs, ribs, femur, spine, pelvis and skull. The tumors, composed of malignant thyroid tissue, were secreting hormones and were otherwise behaving like thyroid glands.

Radio-iodine was given to Brunstein on the theory that his thyroidlike tumors would absorb the drug just as a normal thyroid gland picks up ordinary iodine. If they did, they would be destroyed. For while radio-





BERNARD BRUNSTEIN IN 1942 (LEFT); AS HE LOOKS TODAY

iodine is chemically identical with ordinary iodine, it gives off a powerful radiation that can kill any tissue that absorbs it in sufficient concentration. The chemical had never been effectively used as a treatment for cancer, but Brunstein agreed to try it in the hope that it might help. It did. Three months after he drank his first glassful of the tasteless, colorless liquid, his heart began to slow down and he started to put on weight. Geiger counters placed over the tumor sites revealed that there was a heavy concentration of radio-iodine in these areas. After three additional doses the tumors slowly began to diminish in size and eventually disappeared altogether.

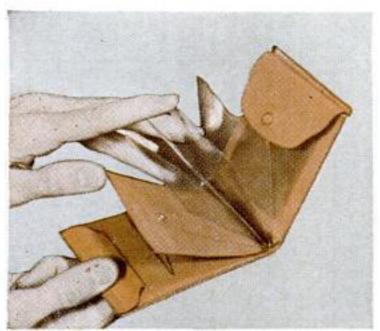
Last May a section of Brunstein's skull was removed for a microscopic examination of the site of one of his tumors. Only scar tissue and dead cells remained, and not a single living cancer cell was found (left).

From his experience with Brunstein and subsequent cases Dr. S. M. Seidlin of Montefiore Hospital, an endocrinologist and a pioneer in radiotherapy, has deduced that radio-iodine does not work in many ordinary thyroid cancer cases because most of the chemical is picked up by the thyroid gland itself, and little of it gets to distant tumors. But if the gland is destroyed, the medicine has a better chance of reaching the diseased areas. Of a group of 12 patients treated by Seidlin since 1942, five appear to be recovering and in two others the tumors have stopped growing. Of the five who died, two had their lives prolonged several years, two were near death when treatment was started, and one died of a different disease.

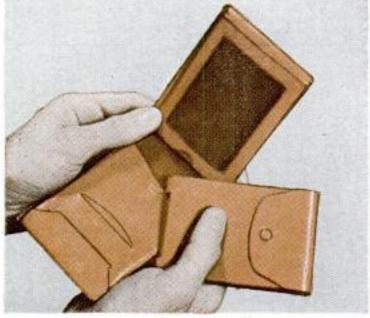


TUMOR IS LOCATED on a woman patient's back with help of an X-ray photo which shows where cancer has penetrated spine (arrow). Exact position of tumor

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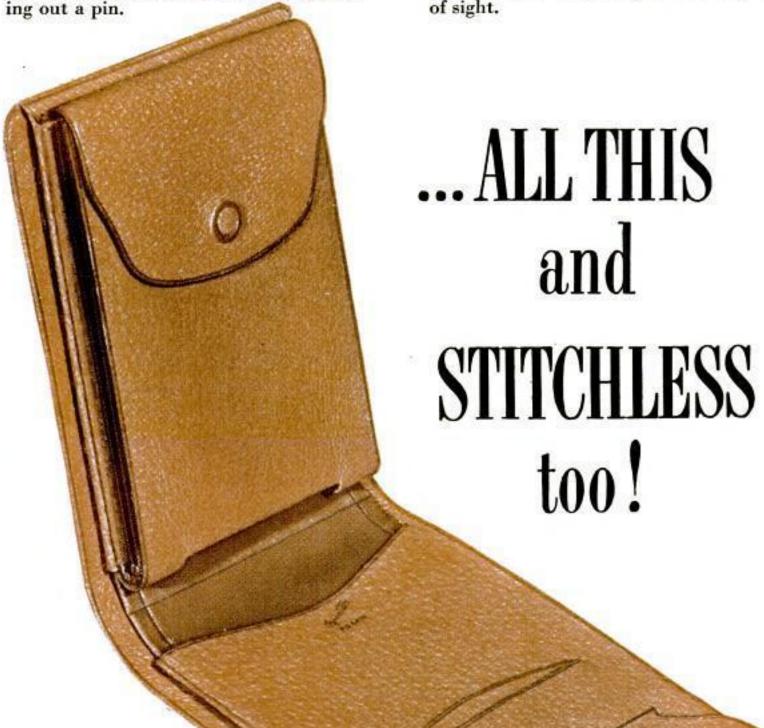
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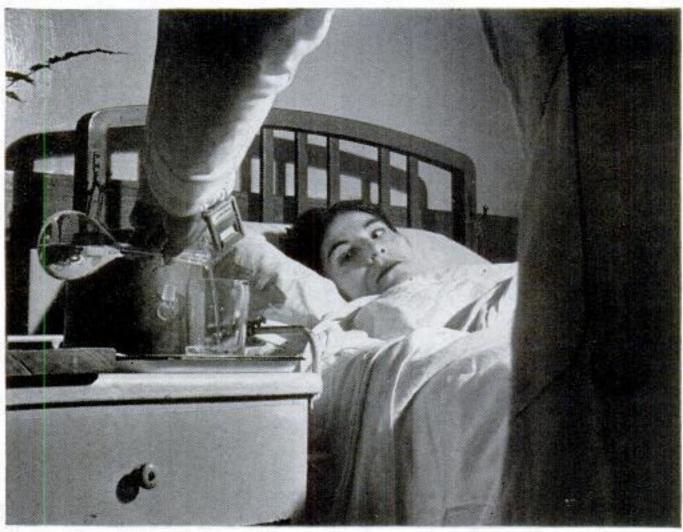
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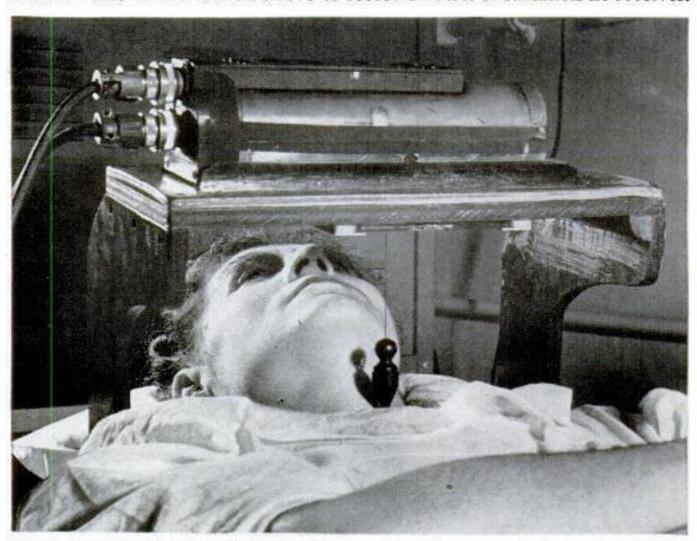
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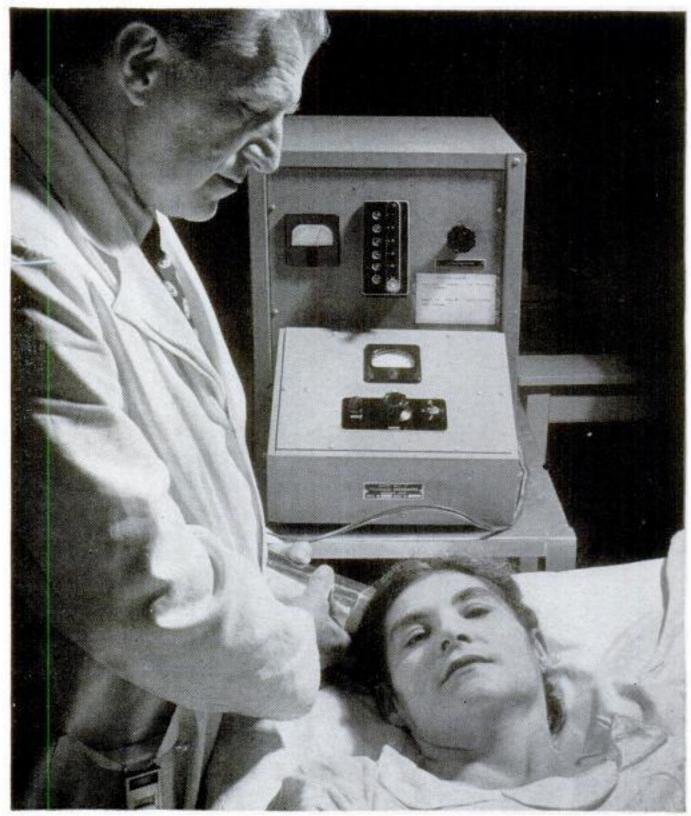
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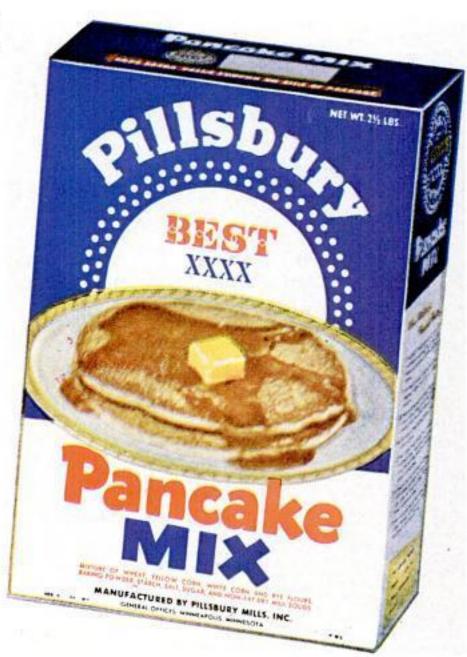
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<u>SEQUEL</u>

MISS AMERICA WAS "LIFE'S" GAL BUT WE DONE HER WRONG

In its Sept. 19 report on the Miss America pageant Life noted that three contestants were Life girls and then wistfully added that none had won. This brought on a freshet of letters from anguished Arizonians who accused Life of being grossly forgetful. They claimed the new Miss America, Arizona's Jacque Mercer, was also a Life girl. She

was, indeed, having appeared as an unnamed fashion model in the issue of Nov. 11, 1946 (above, left). But only an Arizonian would recognize her. In three years she had come a long way (above, right).

When she got back home from Atlantic City this month Miss Mercer, already ranked with copper, cactus and sunshine as a valuable Arizona asset, was met in Phoenix by 75,000 proud Phoenicians. After six harassed days spent totting up contest loot (which includes a gold-leaf bathing suit) and seeing her parents briefly, Miss Mercer took off on a personal-appearance tour. When news pictures showed the welcome she got from her boy friend in Chicago (p. 65) the whole state of Arizona beamed.



"LIFE'S" STORY regretted its girls lost, saluted Winner Mercer, but was unaware that she was LIFE girl, too.



ARIZONA'S ANSWER is carried on a big sign set up on a rickety float by the Junior Chamber of Commerce

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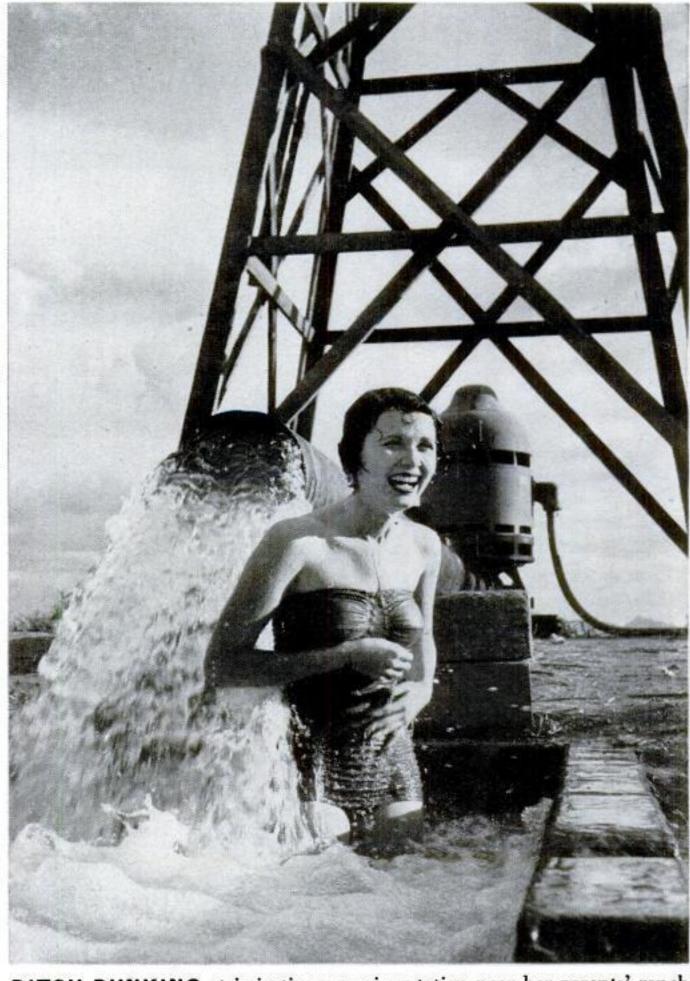
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DITCH-DUNKING at irrigation pumping station near her parents' ranch is still splashy fun for Jacque, who swam there often in pre-Miss America days.

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CUDDLY TOY named Bumstead was gift of Phoenix College students. In the background is Jacque's mother.



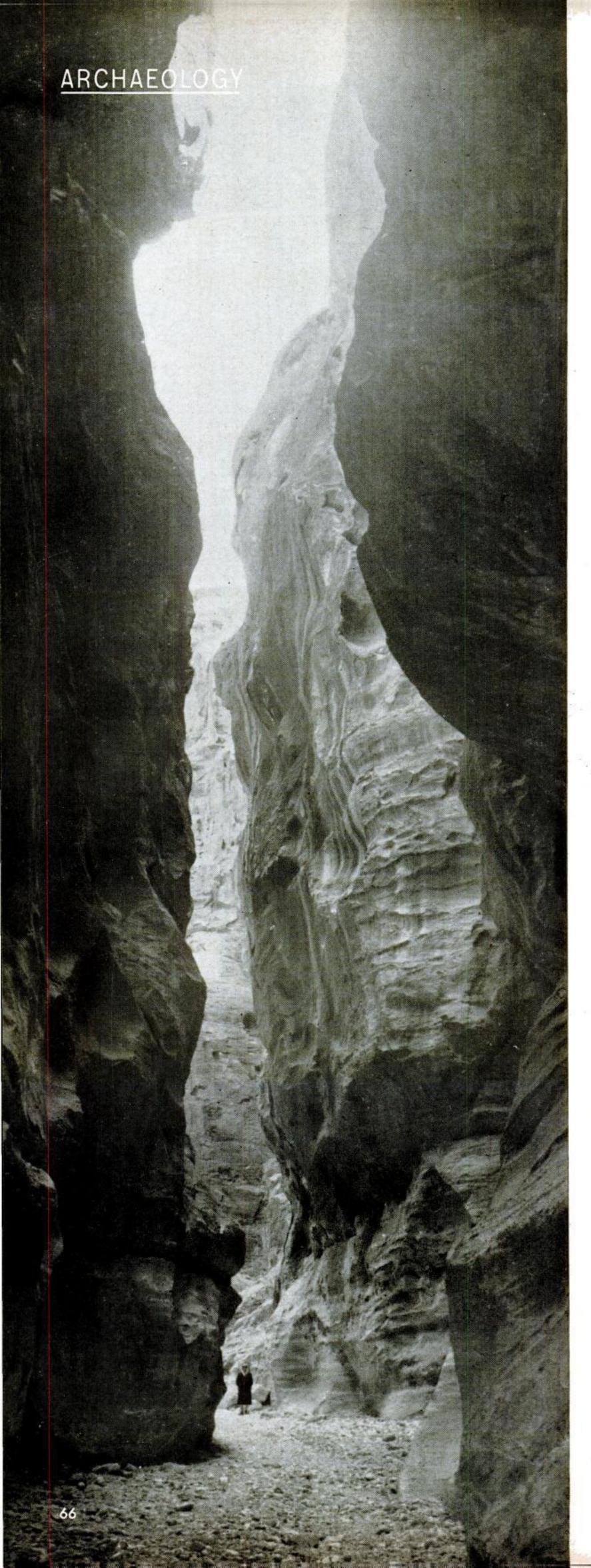
CUDDLY BOY, Douglas Cook, a University of Chicago student, nuzzles Jacque (above) when she arrives



in Chicago, then manages a far warmer welcome (right). The boy friend thought Miss America contest was silly.

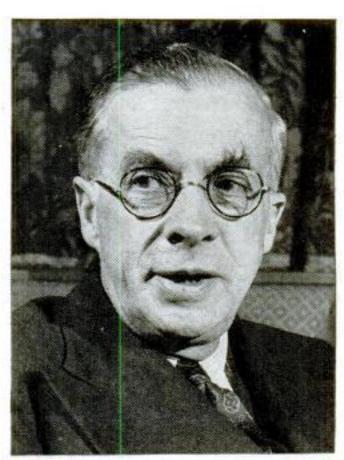
HELMET "CROWN" AND SOUVENIR MACHETE ARE GIVEN JACQUE AT CEREMONY ON STATE CAPITOL VERANDA. HER NEW TITLE: "MISS ARIZONA NATIONAL GUARD





PETRA

ANCIENT TRANS-JORDAN CITY WAS CARVED IN LIVING ROCK



DR. JULIAN HUXLEY

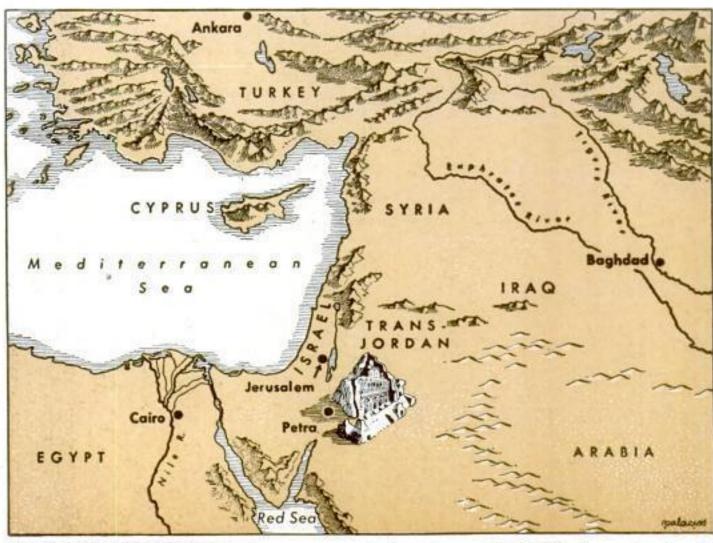
Hidden in a narrow, sheer-sided valley in the craggy wilderness of southern Trans-Jordan are the ruins of the strangest city ever built by man. Its name is Petra, which means "rock," and it is aptly named. For here, carved like giant cameos into the faces of towering, pink and orange cliffs, are hundreds of tombs, temples and palaces whose severe classic beauty (opposite) stands out in fantastic contrast to the windworn living rock of which they are a part.

Five hundred years before the birth of Christ, Petra was a robbers' stronghold. Approached by a tortuous path that winds for miles along the bottom of a narrow gorge (left), it could be held indefinitely against attackers

by a handful of men. Later this thieves' fortress became the capital city of the Nabateans, nomadic Arab tribesmen who ranged far out across the desert to prey on the great caravans that plied between India and the Near East. These distant raids brought wealth and knowledge to the Nabateans. They saw and admired the fine architecture of the Greeks and spent their stolen gold to reproduce its sophisticated forms on the tombs cut in the rough sandstone precipices of their mountain sanctuary. In the Second Century A.D., Petra fell before the advancing legions of the Emperor Trajan and became a distant outpost of the far-flung Roman Empire. The adaptable Nabateans eagerly absorbed the culture of their highly civilized conquerors. The latest and finest of their temples were built in the Roman style.

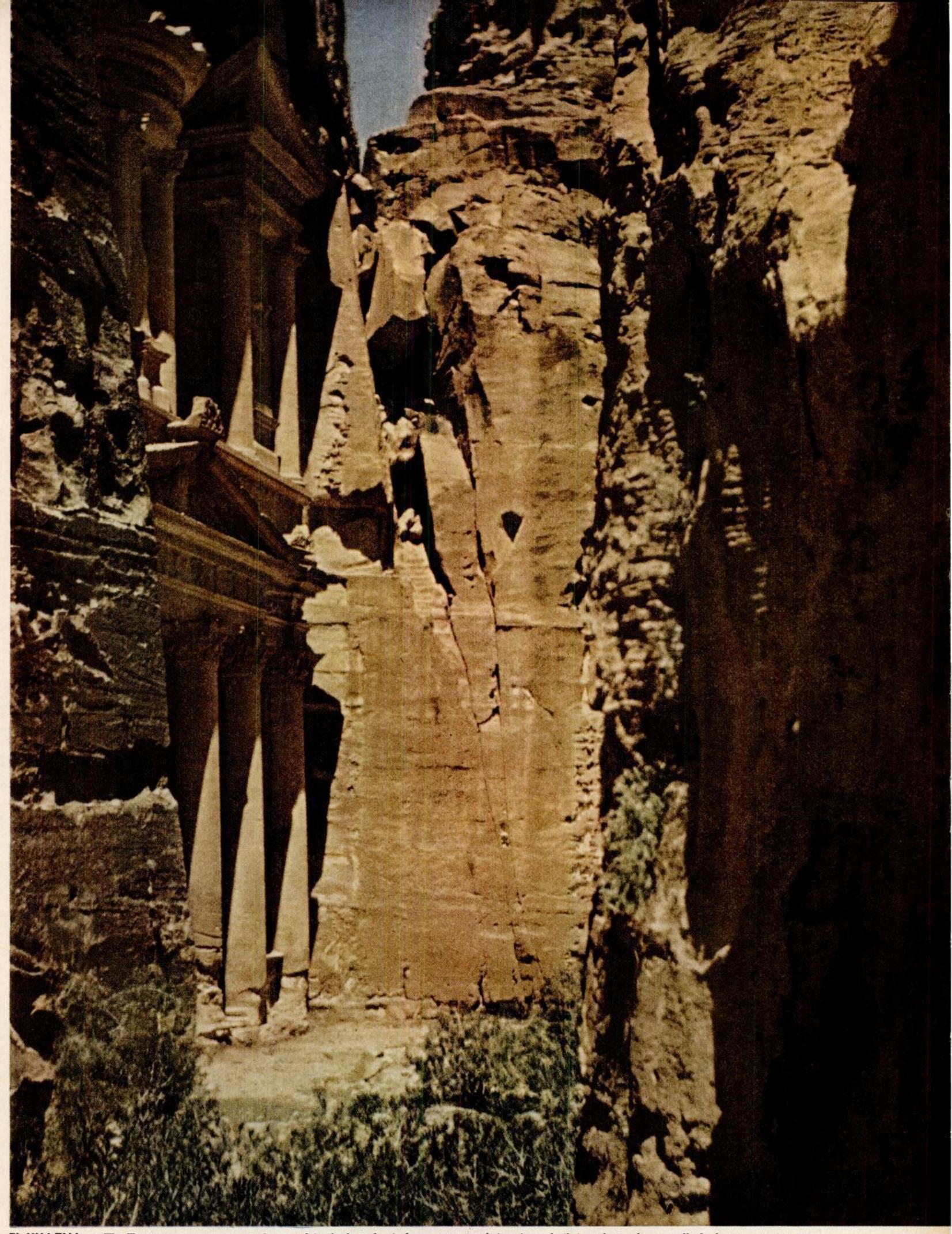
After the Third Century the old caravan routes were abandoned in favor of the longer but safer route through the Red Sea. With its life blood thus cut off Petra's parasitic economy began to fail and its name gradually sank into obscurity. For centuries its very existence was forgotten by the outside world. It was not until 1812, 1,200 years after its abandonment, that a European explorer rediscovered the ghost city.

Today Petra is still remote and inaccessible by modern means of transportation. Only a few ragged Bedouin shepherds live among its magnificent ruins, sheltering their flocks in the deserted tombs. Visitors are rare, but occasionally an adventurous stranger makes his way on foot or horseback along the difficult trail into the valley. One such visitor was the famous British scientist Julian Huxley, who took these color photographs of the place which a poet once called the "rose-red city, half as old as time."



PETRA'S LOCATION between sea and desert permitted Nabateans to dominate the caravan routes that connected cities of Egypt, Syria, Arabia and India.

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EL KHAZNA, or The Treasury, a two-story temple carved in the late classical Roman style, is the most beautiful of the monuments in Petra. It is also the best

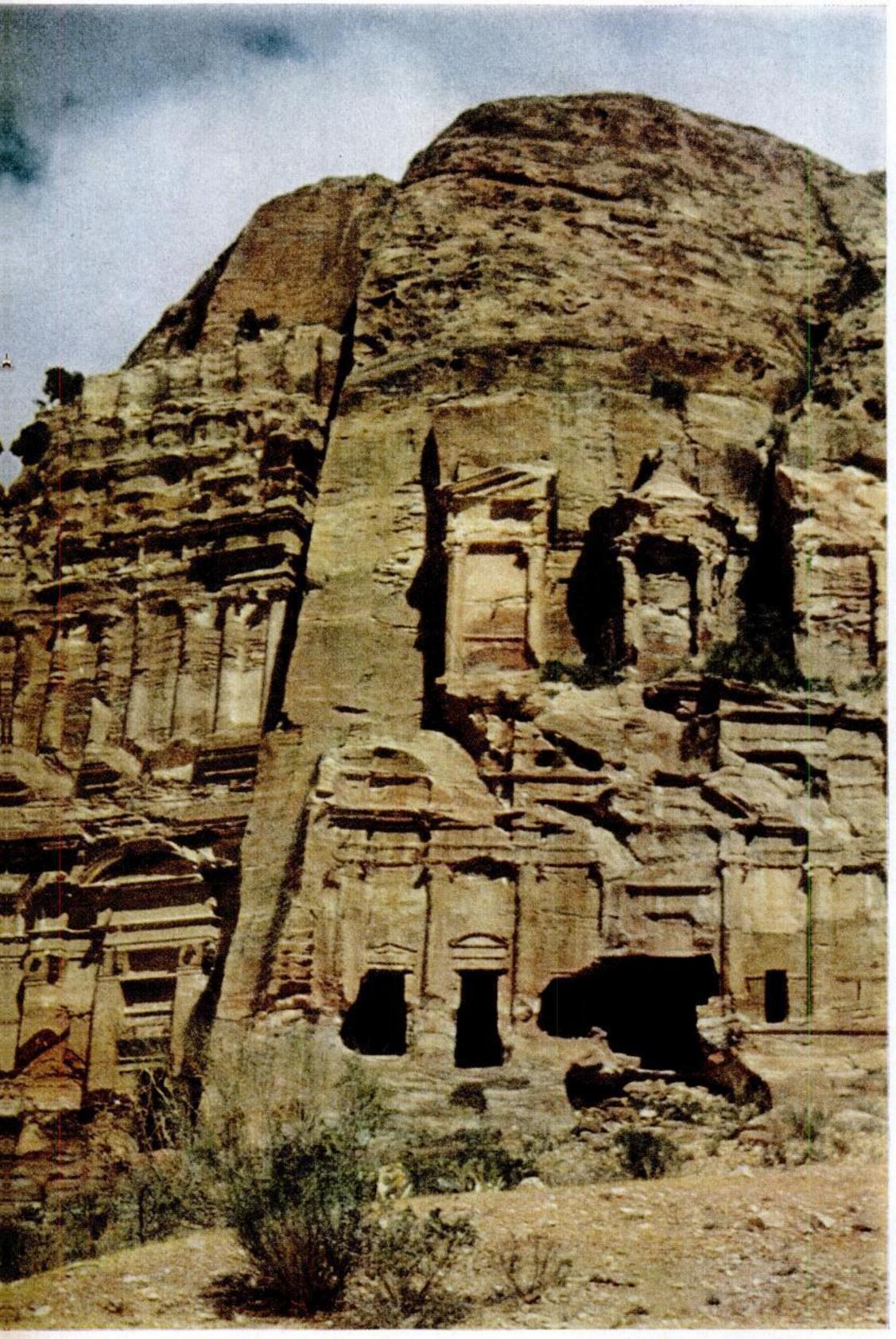
preserved since it was built into the sandstone wall of a deep mountain gorge, protected from winds and rain which have eroded most of the other tombs and temples.

PETRA CONTINUED

SPIRITS WERE WORSHIPED IN TOMBS

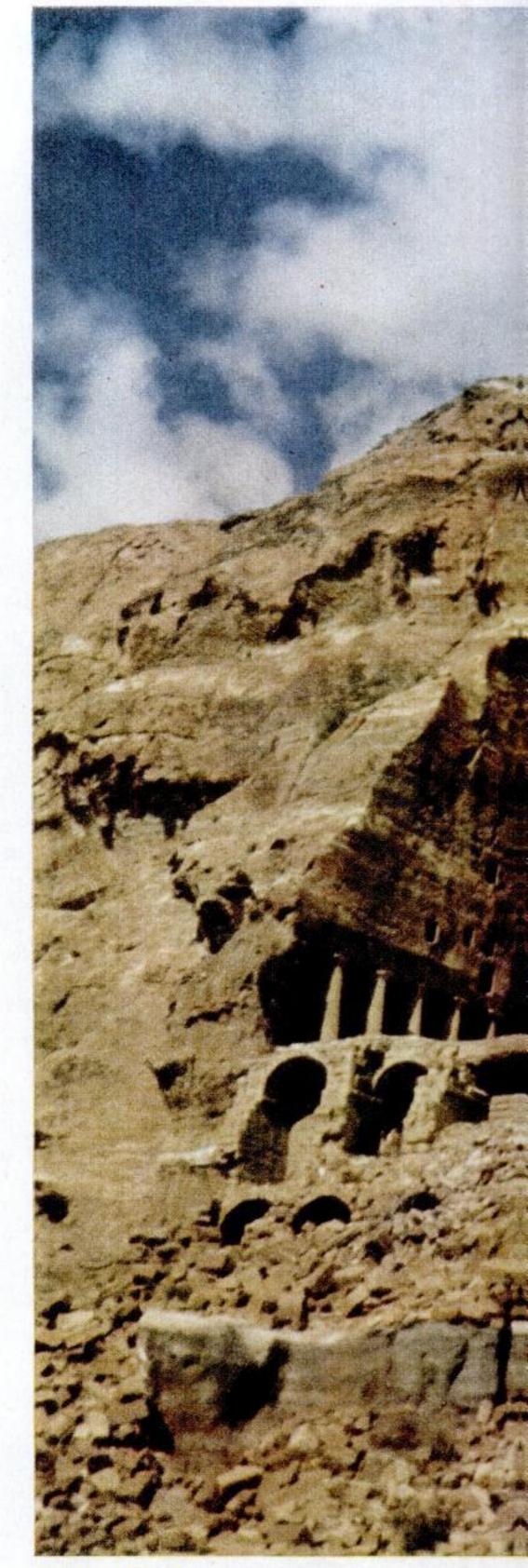
In their hidden city the Nabateans built temples to the sun god Dushara and tombs where they worshiped the spirits of their dead. Dushara's symbol was an uncut black stone which was displayed in the same way that Christians display the cross. But in religion as well as architecture the Nabateans were strongly influenced by other cultures. With the coming of the Romans they built temples to the Roman gods. In the Fourth and Fifth Centuries A.D. many Nabateans became Christians and converted some of Petra's largest tombs into churches.

At the height of their prosperity the Nabateans used camels for transportation, ate the flesh of sheep and goats and made coins stamped with the images of their kings. They brought fresh water into the city from nearby springs by cutting elaborate channels into the rocks, and built vast cisterns to catch the rain water that poured from the hillsides. They had mortar-and-rock bridges, paved streets and great public baths.



PALACE TOMB (left) and Corinthian tomb (right) were probable burial places for the Petra kings. The

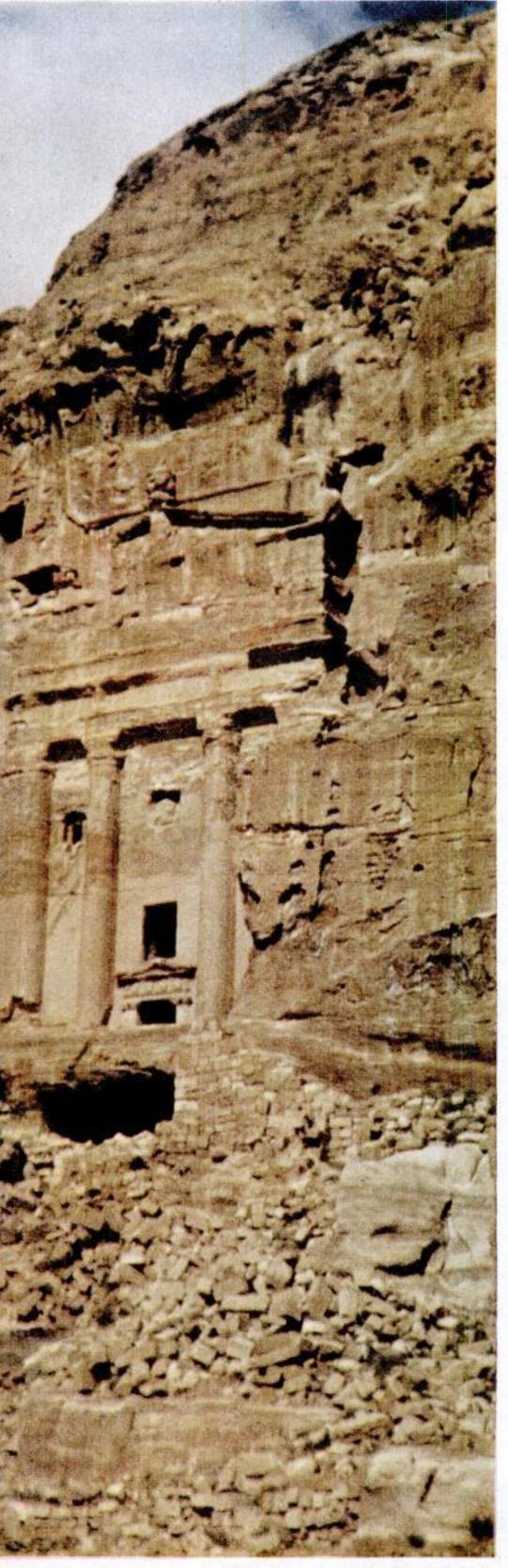
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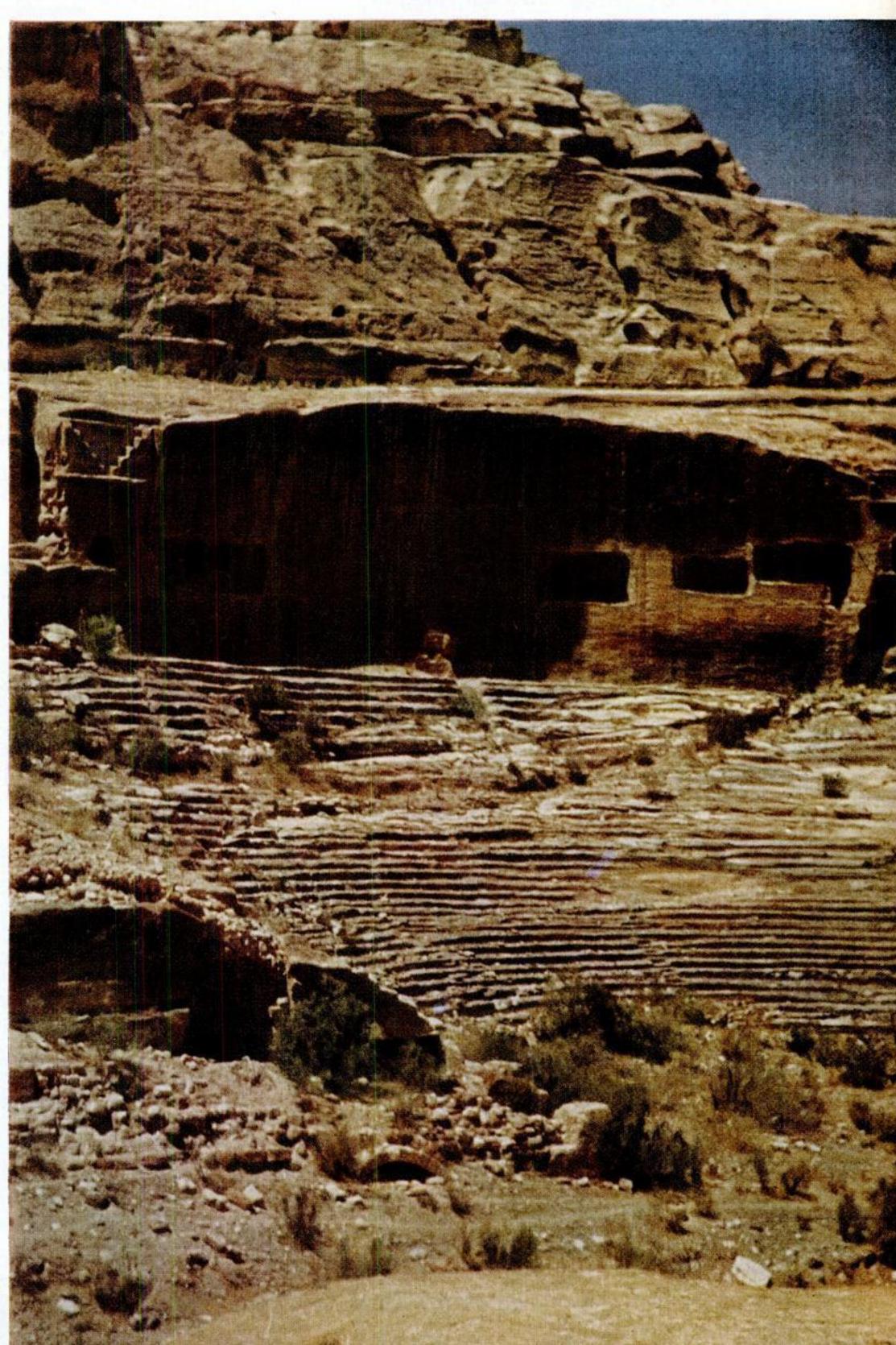
THE URN TOMB was a royal mausoleum. It has a courtyard with colonnades and elaborate basement



UM EL BIYARA, A MOUNTAIN FORTRESS, DOMINATES THE PETRA VALLEY. CLOSE-UPS OF THE PALACE TOMB, URN TOMB AND ROMAN THEATER ARE SHOWN BELOW



substructures. In Fifth Century A.D. Christians in Petra cleaned it out and converted it into a church.



ROMAN THEATER seating about 4,000 persons was built by the Roman conquerors of Petra. Gaping

holes above the tiers are inner chambers of Nabatean tombs which were cut away to make room for theater.



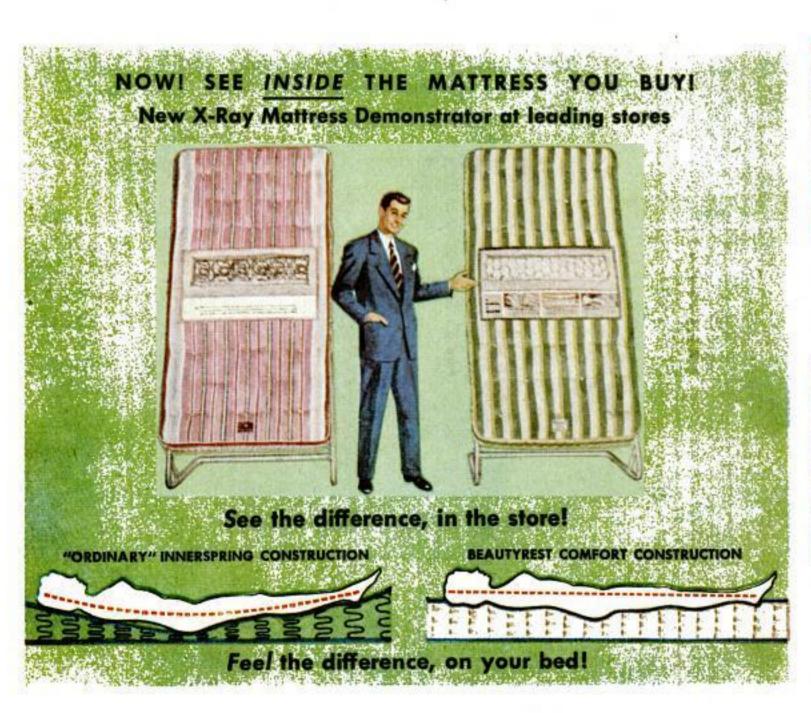
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DWARFS OF "LOST CANYON"

Miniature cattle find proves to be hoax of the year

Out of wild North Dakota came an even wilder story: a rancher and sideshow promoter named Gene Holter had discovered a race of midget Hereford cattle in a "lost canyon," had succeeded in getting five of them out in a helicopter and had brought them to his home near Jamestown. Newspapers as far away as London picked up the story. LIFE promptly sent Photographer Wallace Kirkland to investigate. Sure enough there were the midgets -one bull and four heifers. Though full-grown, they were small enough to walk under a card table and weighed between 160 and 210 pounds. Except for their size they were as perfectly formed as full-grown Herefords. Still Kirkland felt that there was something fishy about them. They were very fat and for cattle that only two weeks earlier had run wild on the range they were strangely tame. He asked to be taken to the lost canyon. Holter turned him down, saying there were other midgets there, even some dwarf donkeys, and he wanted to keep the location secret because he had plans for exhibiting them in fairs later. Kirkland offered to help him bring the rest of them out. Holter refused; the canyon was too far away and the trip would cost too much. Kirkland offered to supply a helicopter and advance \$500 for expenses. Again Holter refused; spring would be better. It began to look as if there were no such canyon, but Holter stuck gamely to his story. Three days later he was stuck with it. A Montana rancher who breeds dwarf cattle heard about the fuss and announced that he raised the five which Holter had bought for \$100. That ended it. Kirkland went back to Chicago, leaving Holter with his five midgets and a face as flushed as the North Dakota sky at sunset.



A LITTLE BULL displays complete indifference as its pleased owner, Rancher-Showman Gene Holter, measures freak animal and finds that it stands only 26 inches high.

STATESMAN ON THE STUMP

Dulles tries to make internationalism the issue in the New York senatorial campaign

by JOHN OSBORNE

WO Republicans of Batavia, N.Y. stood in the lobby of the local Moose hall, discussing John Foster Dulles. They had just heard him deliver the 41st speech of his campaign for election to the U.S. Senate and the experience had evidently been as remarkable for them as it was for him.

"I tell you," said one, pointing a forefinger at his companion, "that man is sincere. That's it, I tell you, he's sincere!"

"That's it," said the other Republican, "that's it-sincerity! Yes, sir,

he's certainly sincere."

The two Republicans went into a brief silence, as though still seeking the answer to a puzzle. Then one of them said in a tone of final judgment, "No flash, no flash. There's no flash to him."

This remark was made with obvious satisfaction, as if to indicate that the Republicans of Batavia had been waiting all their lives for a candidate with no flash. If so, they had found their man in Mr. Dulles. He had been at the top of his campaign form in his speech that evening, saying what he has chosen to say again and again and again throughout the state until election day on Nov. 8, and saying it in a manner all his own. When he got up to speak he put his hands in the trouser pockets of his blue suit and kept them there most of the time. He stood in a sort of in-

verted slouch, his body curving slightly rearward from the microphone and from his audience. He spoke as if he were dictating an important and intimate letter, almost in a monotone, and at intervals his lips moved without sound, presumably in rehearsal of what was coming next. He told no jokes. He neglected to mention the glories of the Republican party and said very little about the Democrats. One short gust of applause, one twitter of laughter interrupted him. Otherwise he proceeded without pause or interim appreciation of any kind. His audiencesome 350 men and women, mostly Republicans-heard him out with the complete attention they would give a distinguished lecturer. They were clearly impressed. But by whom-Senator Dulles, campaigning for election to the seat he has held by appointment since July 7, or John Foster Dulles, international lawyer and statesman, foe of Vishinsky, companion of Marshall and Acheson, a famous man come to Batavia?

Mr. Dulles doesn't know the answer, but he is making a pretty shrewd guess as he warms up to the first campaigning he has ever done. He never fails to say, "I am the man who Mr. Vishinsky said ought to be thrown into chains." He also has a way of saying casually, "As I was flying to Moscow with Secretary Marshall a few years ago ..." and he often relates in detail the chronicle of his attendance at foreign ministers' conferences, his contribution to bipartisan foreign policy, his work at U.N., his recent collaboration in the Senate with Arthur Vandenberg. All this reminds his audiences that John Foster Dulles has been in and of great events. Yet there is no vanity when he says with simple conviction, "I want to make my life count for something for peace in the world."

The recital of his international achievements is fundamental to his campaign, which rests on his effort to translate world affairs into the realities of state politics. He is trying to sell himself as an internationalist; he is trying to win votes with internationalism. Not that he skips the domestic scene—his whole purpose is to demonstrate that the central issues of the world scene and the domestic scene are identical. Reduced to its essentials, his arguments run:

The great issue is "the all-powerful state." The Soviet Union and world Communism promote "the all-powerful state" everywhere. American Communists promote it in the U.S. So does President Truman with his welfare policies (socialized medicine, federalized education, bloated farm supports, excessive taxation, etc.). The Communists naturally encourage Mr. Truman and his followers. Particularly in New York they seek to make themselves "the balance of power" which will insure the election to the Senate of an advocate of "the all-powerful state"-in this instance former Governor Herbert H. Lehman, who is opposing Mr. Dulles. The menace of "the all-powerful state" is the same at home as it is abroad, and in the person of Mr. Lehman it must be opposed at home for the same reason that the U.S. has opposed it abroad.

This argument is especially applicable in New York, where the Communists are doing precisely what Mr. Dulles says they are doing. They have

captured the American Labor party, and the A.L.P. is supporting Herbert Lehman. Principally based in New York City, it delivered some 500,000 votes for Henry Wallace last year, and in 1946 it gave Lehman 362,489 votes in New York City plus 73,357 upstate. Vigorously abetted by Governor Dewey, Mr. Dulles is trying to rouse upstate Republicans and Democrats against the Communist concentration in downstate New York City. If he succeeds, he may nose out Lehman as Republican Senator Irving M. Ives did (by 251,253 votes out of 4,867,-477) in 1946. Many New York political writers give him small chance of succeeding, but he is trying hard. Since he accepted the Republican nomination on Sept. 15 he has traveled some 2,000 miles by chartered bus and made 118 speeches in 36 counties.

Among other things Dulles is attempting to destroy the comfortable tradition that candidates are not responsible for the support they attract—especially Communist support. Dulles is saying over and over that Herbert Lehman is responsible for his Communist support; that he wouldn't have it if he did not have a record and advocate measures which make him attractive to the Communists. Early in the campaign Dulles took pains to say, "I do not imply and never shall imply that my opponent is a Communist or sympathetic in his own mind to Communists." Now he usually omits this qualification. Inasmuch as Dulles tends to identify the A.L.P. with the Communist party itself, the net impression conveyed is that Lehman is a nominee of the Communist party. This is technically incorrect, but it raises a question of candidatorial responsibility which nobody else has defined so clearly.

Dulles is not at his best on domestic issues. Unaccustomed to spontaneous speech, he seldom spells out his central message as well as he did in his carefully drafted acceptance address: "I would not want to live for a minute," he said then, "in a society where every man's well-being was wholly left to chance and unorganized effort. Modern so-



DULLES IN ACTION is an undramatic 61-year-old man who relies almost entirely on his logic to sell himself to New York voters.



SUPPORT FOR LEHMAN is strong in New York City. Here the beaming candidate and wife are flanked by Mayor O'Dwyer (left) and Mrs. Roosevelt.

ciety is too complicated for that.... But if a free society is to keep its freedom, its people must be vigilantly on guard, as they meet their social needs, not to give such power to government that they give up power over government."

The effect is not so impressive when he reduces socialized medicine to a matter of "the sacred relation between doctor and patient," or suggests that rich New York has no interest in subsidizing the schools of poorer states through federal aid to education. His references to farm price supports are so blurred as to intimate that he hardly knows the difference between one program and another. His sincere warnings against the Communists of New York City sometimes lead him onto dangerous ground, as when he extemporized to upstaters, "If you could see the kind of people in New York City making up this block that is voting for my opponent, if you could see them with your own eyes, I know that you would be out, every last man and woman of you, on election day." His opposition took this reference to Communist political workers to mean, "If you could see those Jews and Negroes and foreigners . . ." and has been belaboring him with it ever since.

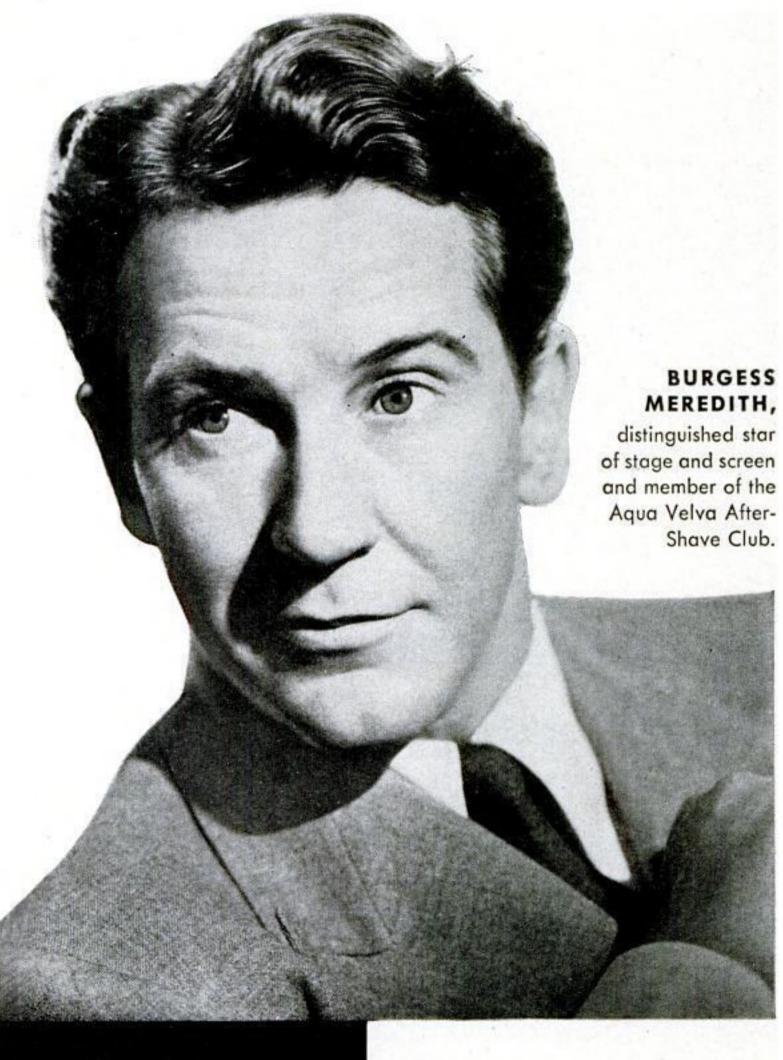
Nevertheless Dulles at his extemporaneous best can be quite impressive. Usually these moments come when in homely, rambling sentences he relates the world conflict to the domestic political conflict. Such a moment came the other afternoon at Warsaw, N.Y., where perhaps 200 people had assembled on the green, sunny lawn of the United Church to welcome him when he stepped from his bus. What he said then, and his way of saying it, will get him elected if anything does. He took his slouchy stance, hands in pockets, before a portable amplifier on the side steps of the church. He began, of



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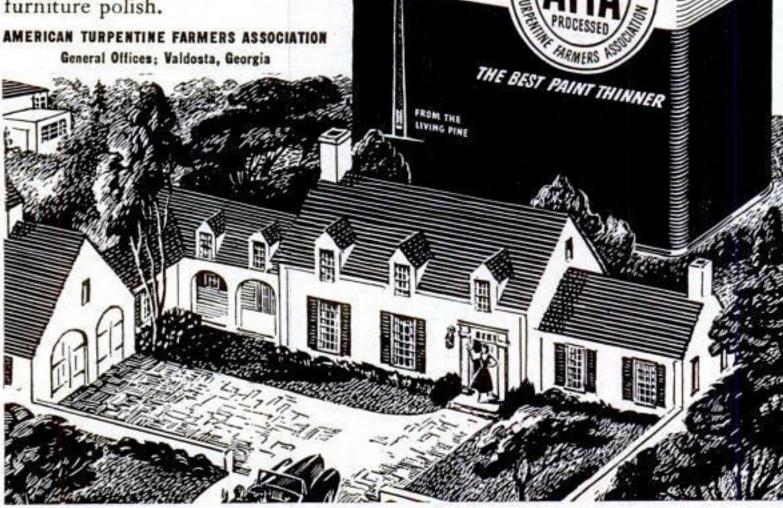


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CANDIDATE DULLES relishes some strategy in Amsterdam, N.Y., where he sets up a sign to remind the audience that Lehman has refused to debate him.

Statesman on the Stump CONTINUED

course, with a reference to another Warsaw ("I flew over it on the way to Moscow with Secretary Marshall a few years ago . . . "). He went on to say that Warsaw, N.Y. was in the same ultimate danger of "the all-powerful state."

"I would normally be myself working on international affairs," he said. "I am not doing it because of what I have seen throughout the world, in Moscow, China, at the foreign ministers' meetings. I think the Communist party is trying to make itself the balance of power and throwing itself behind the people who are going down the line toward the all-powerful state, and it seems to me more important to go round New York telling people of that danger than to be battling internationally with Mr. Vishinsky. I think the place to win out for freedom is here at home and not to let freedom here at home slip away. Because I see that danger, because I think it ought to be told, I have given up my international work to go up here in this state and tell the story to people like you who are here. I hope you won't let these issues go by default-don't let this election go by default. Go and vote so your vote will cancel out some of these un-American votes that are going to be cast for my opponent on election day. Thank you."

At the end it was announced that Warsaw's distinguished guest would be glad to meet any of his hearers who cared to remain for a moment. A lot of them did. Sundry officials who have known John Foster Dulles as "a rather cold fish" at world conferences would have been astounded to see him on the church lawn, shaking hands, smiling warmly, drifting slowly with the crowd toward his bus.



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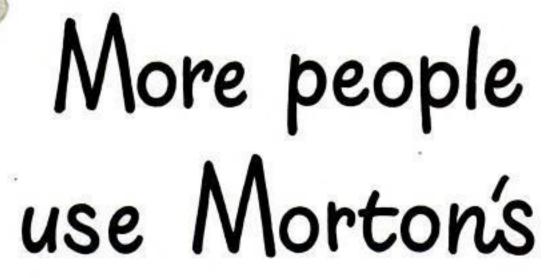






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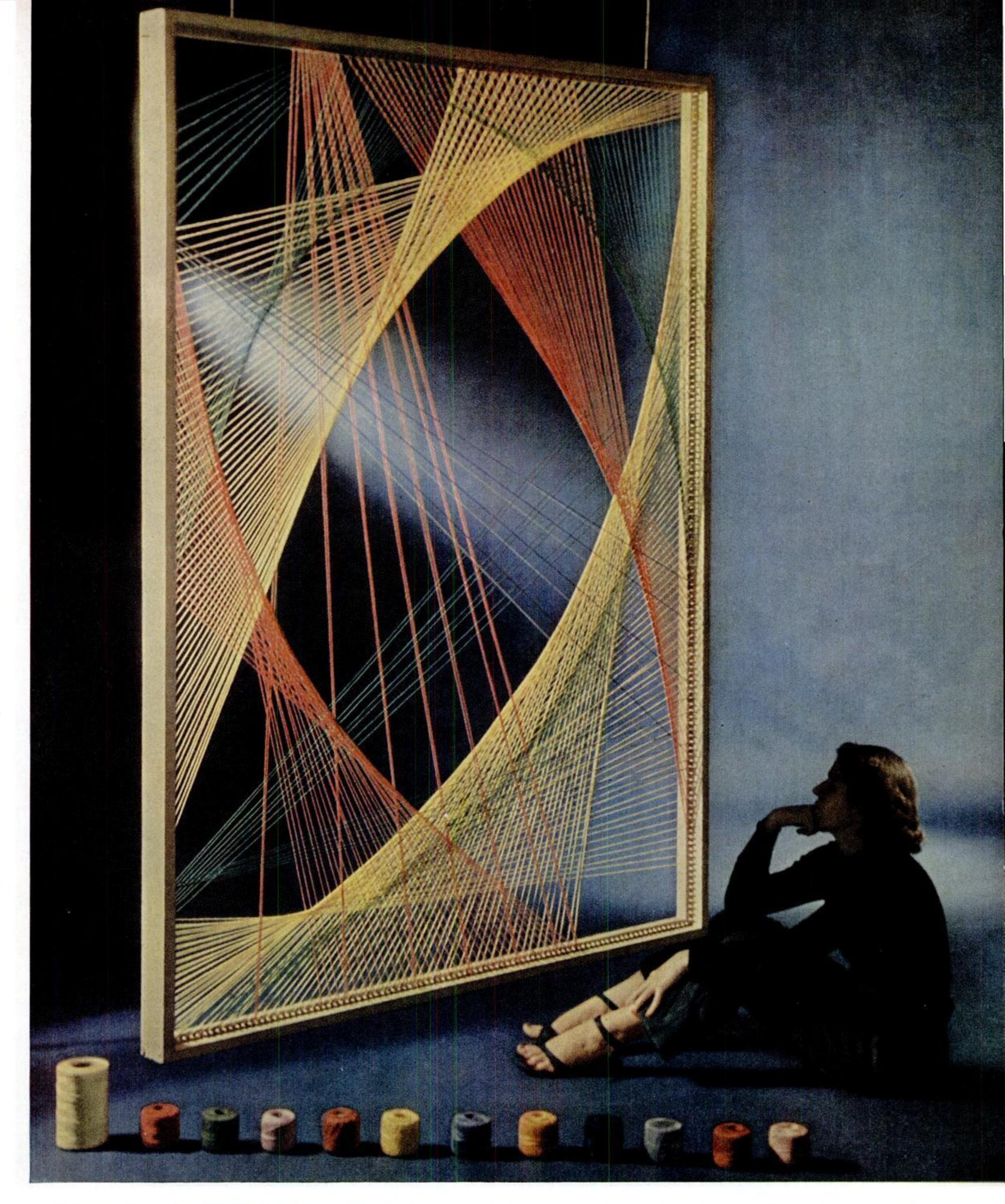
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Artist works with colorful twine

The gigantic cat's cradle shown above is the work of a New York artist named Sue Fuller who does something with string apparently no one else has thought of doing before. She stretches it across wooden frames to create colorful patterns which she calls "string compositions" and exhibits in art galleries. Miss Fuller, a painter and etcher, works

hard over her compositions and often dismantles a nearly finished job and starts all over. Once finished, the compositions can be hung on the wall as pictures or stood on the floor for partitions. Miss Fuller herself likes to hang them in her studio under the skylight and watch the play of sunlight on the colored strings. "It's fascinating," she says.

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FROM A MAGNOLIA LOG AT THEIR MILL, ALABAMANS JULIAN, EARL AND FLOYD McGOWIN SURVEY A DOMAIN THEY HAVE PUT ON A PERMANENT-YIELD BASIS

THE NEW SOUTH

ITS FARMS, FACTORIES AND FOLKWAYS SHOW EXCITING CHANGES

PHOTOGRAPHED FOR LIFE BY MARGARET BOURKE-WHITE

The three solid citizens of Alabama who stand proudly outside their lumber mill in the picture above think of themselves as conservative businessmen, but they are actually revolutionaries. When their family bought the W. T. Smith Lumber Co. at Chapman, Ala. it seemed to share the depressing future that awaited most enterprises and affairs of the Old South. Îts timber was fast being logged off, its life expectancy was only eight or nine years and, in selling to the McGowin clan, old W. T. Smith told his lawyer with relief, "Well, I've unloaded that lemon at Chapman." But in the time of Julian, Earl and Floyd McGowin the lemon has sprouted into a vast 200,000-acre tree farm, doing a \$7.5 million annual business in Southern pine and hardwoods. By practicing sustained-yield logging and encouraging farmers to grow trees for profit on worn-out cotton land, the Oxford-educated brothers have brought prosperity to their neighbors as well as themselves. Their mills are up to date in every respect, including unionization; last week the McGowins were negotiating with the C.I.O. International Woodworkers of America, which had called a strike in a dispute over a new contract—in itself an unthinkable act only a few years ago.

The McGowins are three among many revolutionists who are remaking the land of cotton into the New South, in the most dramatic regional transformation since the opening of the West (or since the War Between the States). The revolution began when industries started marching into Dixie in search of markets, materials and manpower. It gained momentum when new forage crops like kudzu (p. 82) were put to work restoring the South's eroded soil and balancing its single-crop economy. It was speeded in some areas, impeded in others but halted in none by the war. It is bringing some drastic social changes, like every revolution, but unlike many its effects are not only visible but spectacular. To Northerners brought up on the acrid novels of William Faulkner and Erskine Caldwell, this New South is full of overwhelming sights. To report on it, Life sent Margaret Bourke-White, who had photographed the sharecroppers' dismal world 12 years ago, to the coastal plain and Piedmont areas of the South. She was overwhelmed too. On these 12 pages LIFE presents her surprising pictures of a land that is no longer living in its magnolia-scented past. Jeeter Lester still lives there, but the bulldozers are tearing up Tobacco Road.



CONTOUR PLOWING, TERRACING AND SOIL RESTORATION HAVE REVIVED THIS ONCE EXHAUSTED COTTON LAND IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY, S. C. FOR PEACH

MAN MAKES NEW DESIGNS ON THE CHANGING LAND

The story of South Carolina's Spartanburg County is a classic example of how man, having recklessly turned a friendly environment against him, can still make his peace with nature. In the early 1920s the county was wasting away; cotton had robbed the soil and the boll weevil was stealing what was left of the cotton. Then an enterprising county extension agent took some farmers on a tour of Georgia peach orchards, and half a dozen



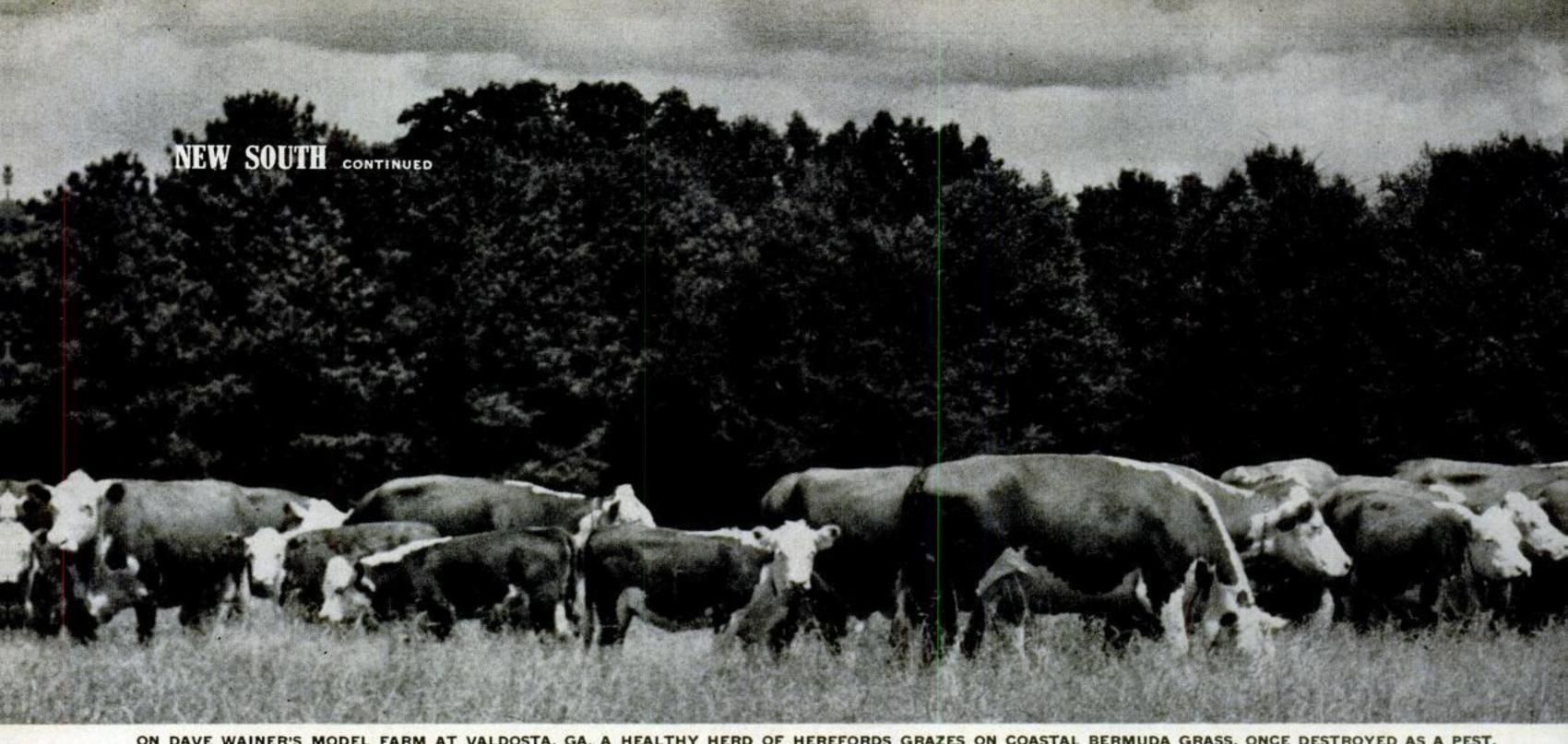
ORCHARDS (ABOVE ROAD), YOUNG TREES AND ROW CROPS (BELOW ROAD)

of them were sufficiently impressed to set out five acres of such trees apiece. They learned how terracing and contour plowing (above) could save their topsoil, and how crop diversification could pep it up like a transfusion. In 1923, when the state of Georgia shipped 9,000 carloads of peaches, South Carolina shipped a measly 16. Last year the Spartanburg area alone shipped more (by 400 carloads) than the entire Peach State, and in 10

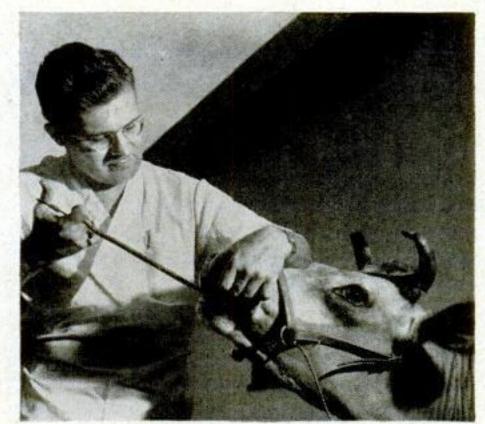


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years the county's total annual farm income had shot from \$5.3 million to \$14.6 million. Neighboring Georgia, meanwhile, has branched out on its own into other profitable new pursuits. In its bustling capital of Atlanta, so well remembered by Yankees for the scenes of Technicolored tragedy in Gone With the Wind, the terraces and contours of big new housing projects (above) and new industrial plants are changing the city's face.



ON DAVE WAINER'S MODEL FARM AT VALDOSTA, GA. A HEALTHY HERD OF HEREFORDS GRAZES ON COASTAL BERMUDA GRASS, ONCE DESTROYED AS A PEST.



A GEORGIA COW GETS TREATMENT FOR PARASITES

KING COTTON HAS BEEN DETHRONED

In the Old South, except the tobacco principalities, cotton was king. But it was hardly a benevolent despot. Year after year its subjects -the planters and tenant farmers and Negroes in the fields-saw its yield inexorably decline, for nobody put back in the soil what the cotton took out. Fortunately there were rebels plotting how to make a good citizen out of King Cotton. One was Dave S. Wainer, who bought a worn-out farm near Valdosta, Ga. By planting much of it in coastal Bermuda grass (above), which most farmers had been rooting out as a

pest, he scandalized his neighbors but provided fine forage for his cattle. Feed was not the only problem that had kept the South from becoming a cattle country. The land was there, but so were tropical and other diseases that killed cattle. Research had shown, however, that the diseases could be controlled. Today many farmers are following Wainer's example, and with good reason: a cow requires only two acres of land in Valdosta to 15 acres in Texas.

Another innovator was Channing Cope, the Atlanta Constitution's "front-porch farmer".

ON CHANNING COPE'S LUSH PASTURES NEAR COVINGTON, GA. DAIRY CATTLE AND WHITE-FACED BEEF CALVES STAND FLANK-DEEP IN KUDZU VINES. GOOD





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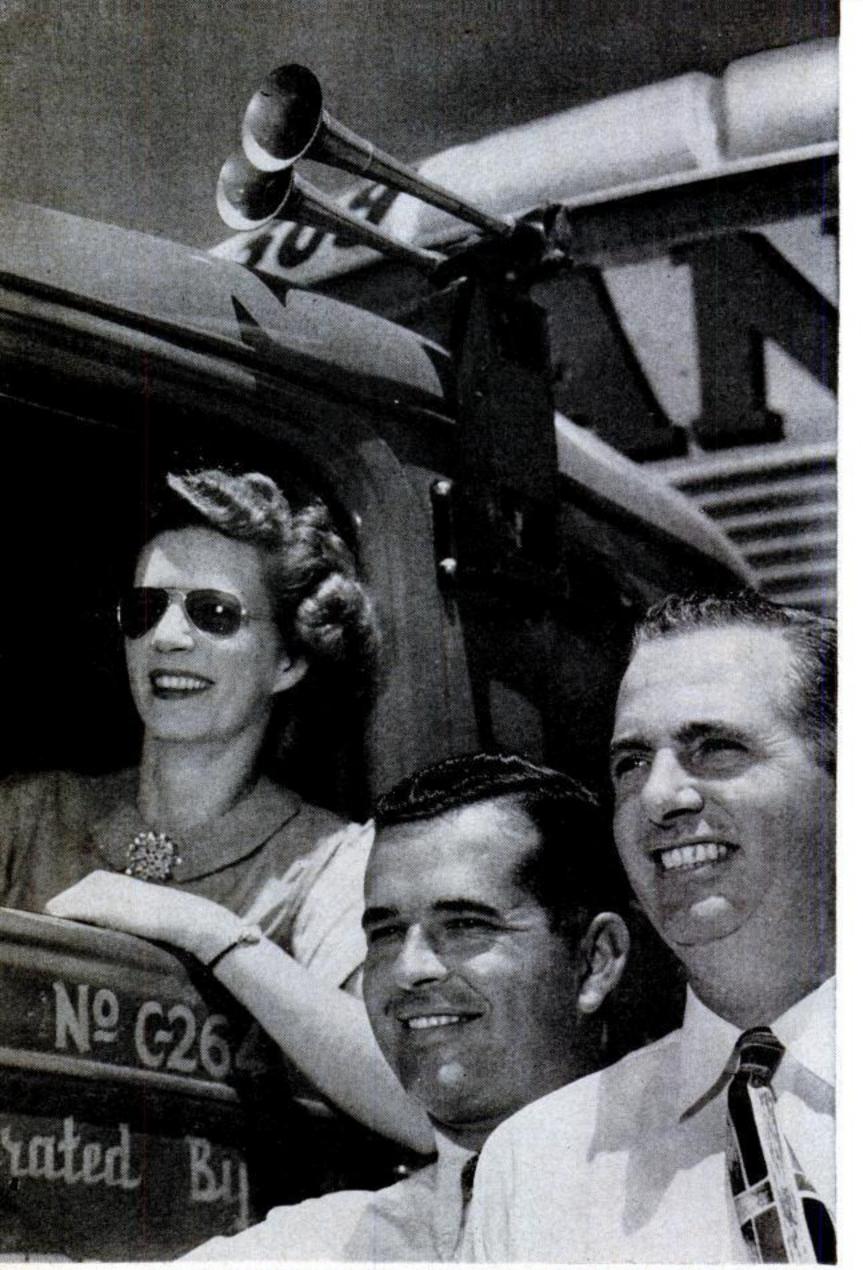
(p. 84). The soil of the cotton farm he bought on the Yellow River was blood red from washouts and exposure. Cope planted kudzu, an Oriental vine that had been celebrated in a poem by Confucius but largely ignored in the South. Kudzu had everything: livestock loved it, the soil snatched nitrogen from its roots, it stopped erosion and seeded itself. Today on many farms like Cope's (below) cotton is no longer king—which is just as well since it is still a drug on the market. And on the farms where it is king, good soil management is sending the yield back up again.



COTTON PICKER DOES WORK OF 25 FIELD HANDS ON BIG FARMS LIKE THIS ONE AT GREENVILLE, MISS.

FOOD FOR LIVESTOCK AND FOR THE SOIL AS WELL, THE FAST-GROWING ORIENTAL PLANT IS BRINGING NEW VIGOR TO SCORES OF GUTTED COTTON FARMS





CLARA, JIM AND MALCOLM MoLEAN ARE BIG WHEELS IN TRUCKING LINE

MEN, MONEY AND IDEAS ARE REMAKING A REGION

When Malcolm McLean finished high school at Winston-Salem in 1935 there wasn't enough money in the family to send him to college. But there was enough for Malcolm to buy a used truck. He drove it himself, drummed up hauling business, and by 1939 had 11 units rolling on Southern highways. Today Malcolm McLean, 35, flanked by his sister Clara and brother Jim in the picture above, has 1,000 diesel trucks and trailers plying between his terminals in 33 eastern seaboard cities and is the biggest man in Southern trucking. Not all the young businessmen in Dixie can match McLean's spectacular success, but thousands of them have learned that there is plenty of business for the man who is willing to go out and fight for it. At the same time big industry has learned that Southern labor, properly trained, can become as productive as labor anywhere. The combination of labor, good climate and closeness of raw materials has dotted the South with the low, clean-cut profiles of modern industrial plants. Some of them represent an investment of imagination as well as money; the grounds of Deering Milliken & Co.'s plant on the opposite page, for example, have been planted with lespedeza, one of the important new grasses, and one of these years prize beef cattle will graze in the front yard.

The lessons are not always easily learned. When Tom Martin set out to raise \$2.5 million to found the Southern Research Institute in Birmingham, he had to twist a good many arms. Many of his friends were unwilling to bet money on the long-range chance of developing diversified industry. Although Martin has still not raised his total goal, the institute is now at work on industrial research that may eventually make Martin's project the most significant new enterprise in the South.

NEW SOUTH CONTINUED



POWER MAGNATE Tom Martin, Alabama Power Co. president, helped found Southern Research Institute in Birmingham. Its metals, paper and other projects will help balance economy of the South.



MERCHANT Richard H. Rich is new head of Rich's department store in Atlanta. Since 1938 its dollar volume has grown from \$9 million to nearly \$50 million, annual transactions from 3.5 to 12 million.



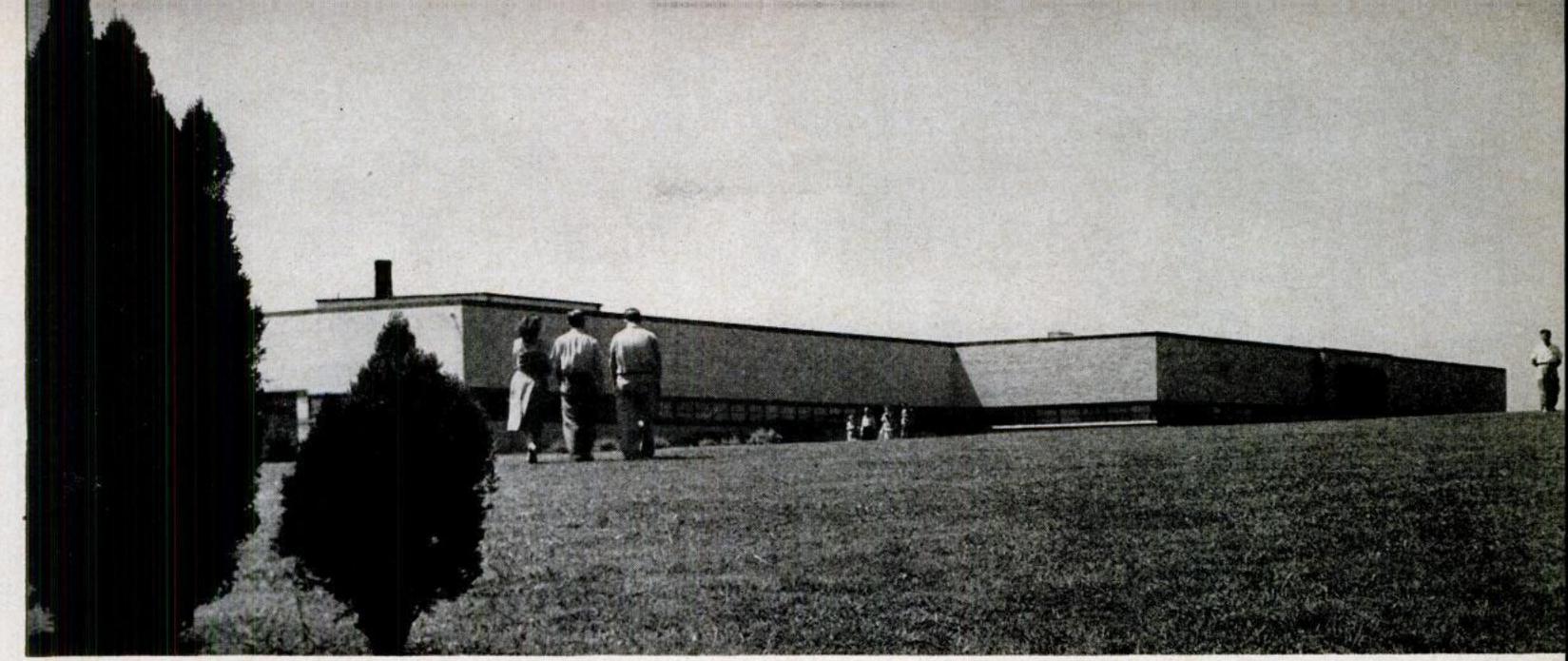
FARM BROADCAST at 6 a.m. finds Atlanta columnist Channing Cope, the kudzu prophet, at the microphone in his farm home with his young, barefoot wife Ruth and their Negro servants Susie (also shoeless) and Will. Ruth and Susie give set recipes and household hints for farm wives, Will gives the weather forecast (preceded by a rooster crow), while Cope reads the news and preaches the gospel of better farming.



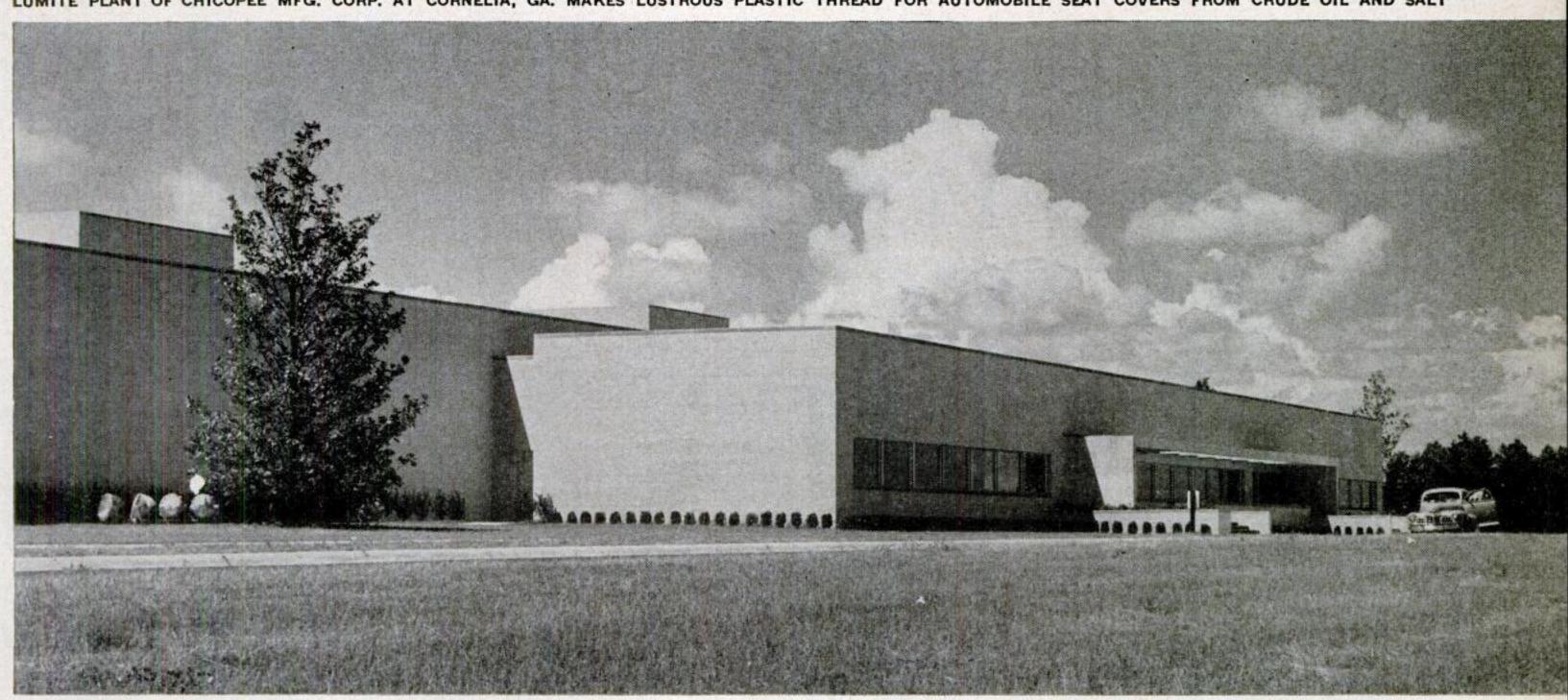
of Greenville, S.C. started with five workers in 1935, now has five busy plants which turn out low-profit cotton sunsuits and slips, and at the age of 41 is a millionaire.



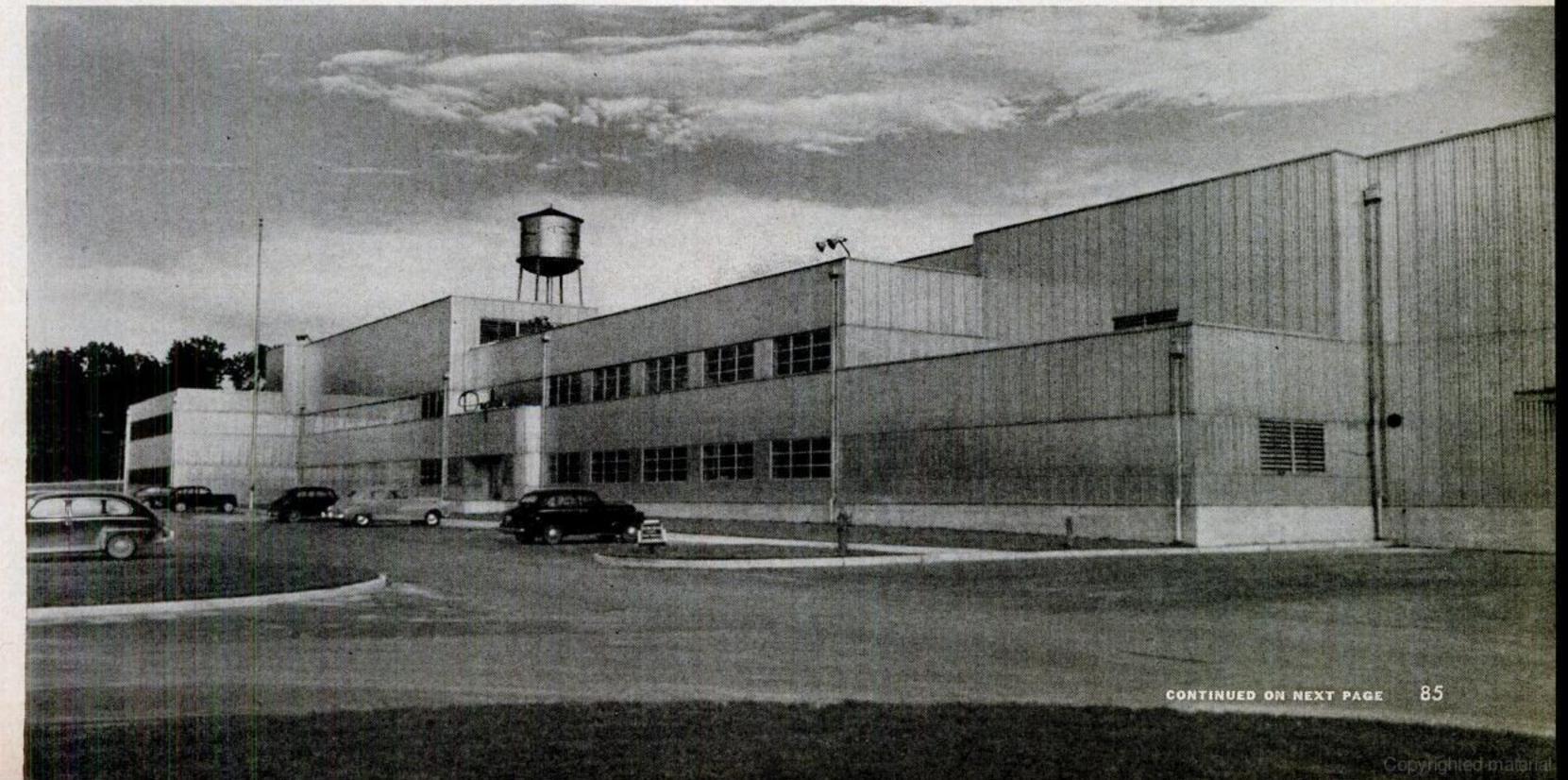
POULTRYMAN Jesse Jewell got dealers to supply poor Gainesville, Ga. farmers with feed and baby chicks on credit. Now, 10 years later, he does a \$10 million gross and even sells the hens' tailfeathers.



LUMITE PLANT OF CHICOPEE MFG. CORP. AT CORNELIA, GA. MAKES LUSTROUS PLASTIC THREAD FOR AUTOMOBILE SEAT COVERS FROM CRUDE OIL AND SALT



RAYON PLANT OF DEERING MILLIKEN & CO. AT PENDLETON, S.C. AND DUPLAN NYLON PLANT (BELOW) AT FORSYTH, N.C. ARE BOTH AIR-CONDITIONED THROUGHOUT





STILL SEGREGATED, NEGRO LIFE IS GETTING BETTER

In the 84 years since the Emancipation Proclamation the Southern Negro has been climbing, inch by painful inch, from the status of a subhuman chattel toward full status as a human being. Even though the South is still the land of Jim Crow, his rate of climb is speeding up. Insofar as the "Negro problem" is an economic problem, he is bound to gain, along with the whites, from the farm and industrial revolutions. But since it is also an



HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES at new George Washington Carver High near Montgomery, Ala. meet in large, airy classrooms. Built for 600 pupils, the school has

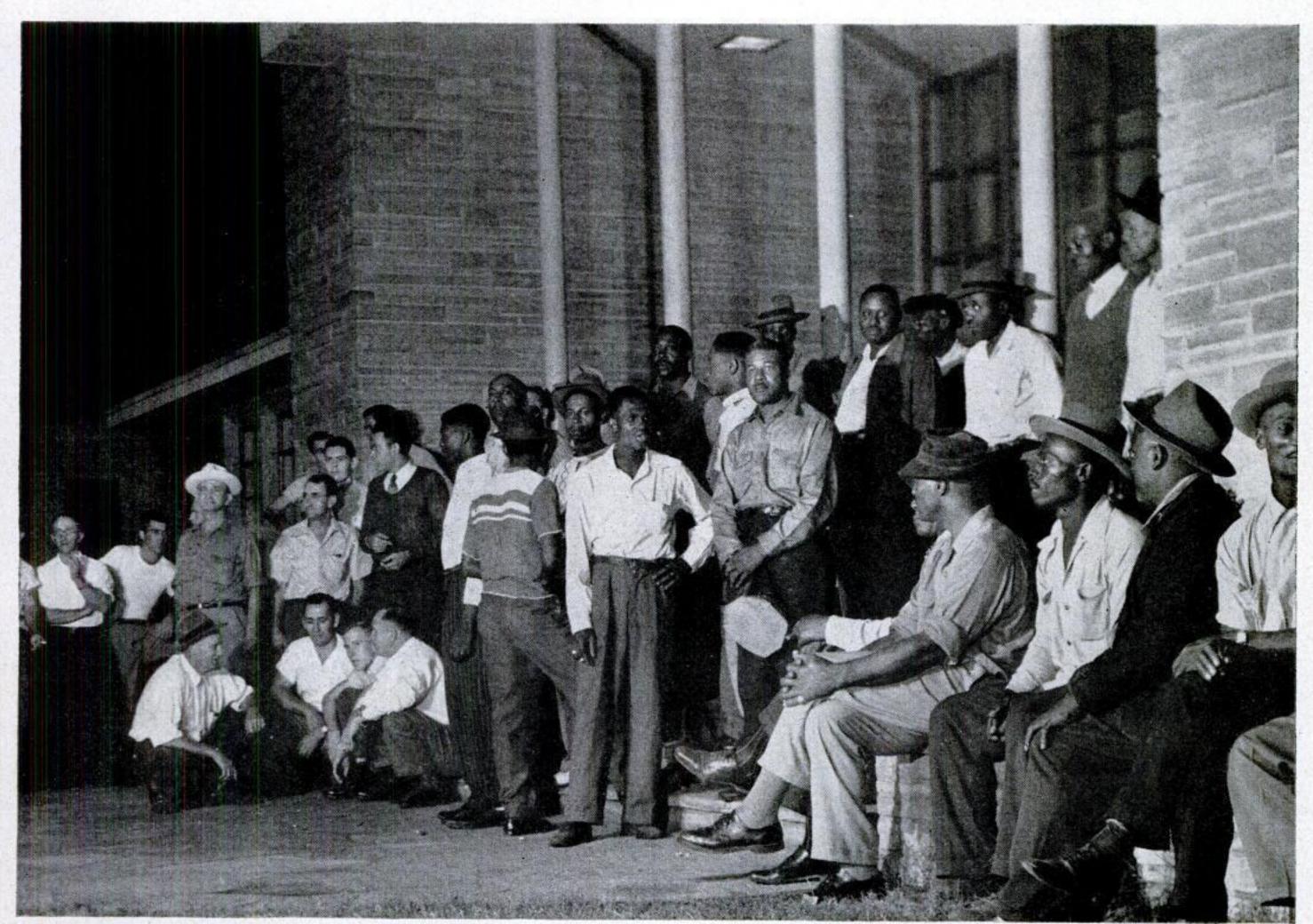
more than 800. It is short on books and as yet has no locker rooms, auditorium or gym—but is immeasurably better than anything Negro students had before.



TWO WHITE POOLS, BUT THE NEGRO POOL, SERVING 45% OF POPULATION, IS MORE CROWDED

emotional problem, his gains are bound to bring friction. (Last year, however, more than 700,000 Negroes voted in the South, and the franchise is becoming less and less a point of friction.) Some of his advances represent the awakening conscience of the South; others have been won because Negroes have fought them through in the courts. The swimming pool, school and union hall on these pages are all symbols of the doctrine of "separate

but equal" facilities for the Negro. In the union hall (below), for instance, there are separate but equal restroom facilities. Last week the government, still pushing its civil rights program, asked the Supreme Court to outlaw the doctrine and proclaim that "equal rights" shall mean the same rights. If the court does, Jim Crow will be legally dead—but the spirit of segregation will not be so easily destroyed in the states' rights stronghold of the South.



STEELWORKERS' UNION at Ensley, Ala. meets in this \$80,000 hall where new Negro members are sworn in alongside whites, have equal voting rights and

representation on executive committee. At meetings they sit across a wide aisle from whites, and even in congregating in front of new hall, the races keep apart.

NEW INDUSTRIES ARE BRINGING A NEW SELF-RELIANCE



STEEL PIPE for natural gas lines, automatically formed and welded, rolls out of Republic Steel's new plant at Gadsden, Ala. at the rate of 75 miles a month.



TRUCK AND TRAILER FLEET of Malcolm McLean (p. 84), based at Winston-Salem, grew from one to 1,000 units in 14 years, hauls freight up to Boston.



CHAIR LEGS are carved 24 at a time at Tomlinson plant, High Point, N.C., center of U.S. wooden household furniture industry. Carver makes \$1.25 an hour.



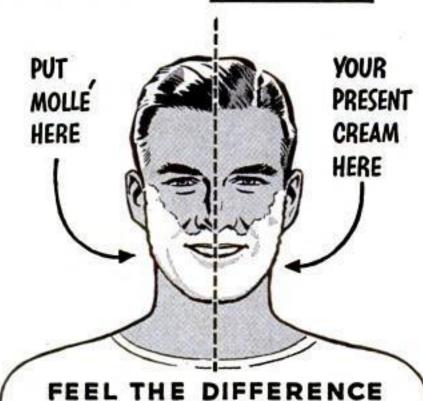
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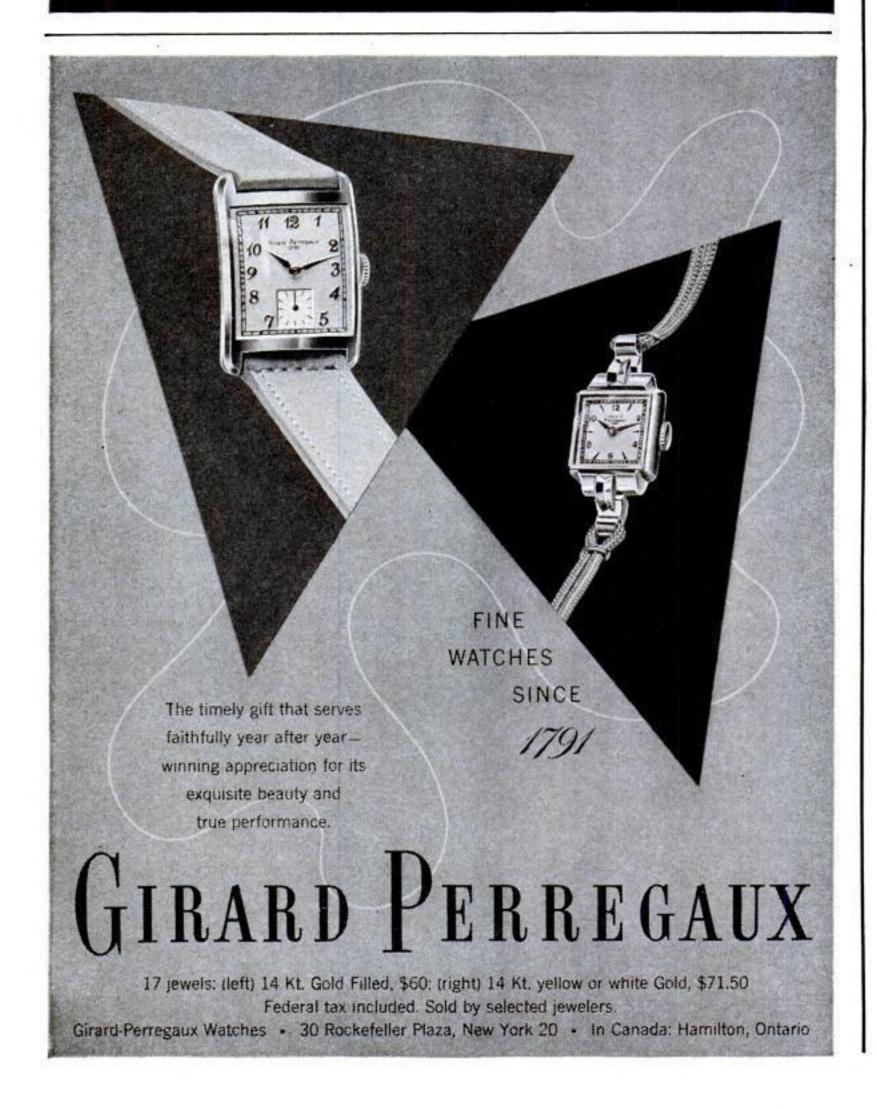
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NEW SOUTH CONTINUED

FOR THE QUICK AND DEAD, THINGS ARE PICKING UP

The New South had an early prophet in the late Henry W. Grady, the Atlanta Constitution's high-powered editor and high-pitched orator. Sixty-odd years ago Grady told a pointed and pathetic little tale about a funeral he had attended in Pickens County, Ga. The deceased, he recalled, was "a poor one-gallus fellow whose breeches struck him



HENRY W. GRADY, 1886

under the armpits and hit him at the other end about the knee. They buried him in the heart of a Southern pine forest, and yet the pine coffin was imported all the way from Cincinnati. They buried him within touch of an iron mine, and yet the nails in his coffin and the iron in the shovel that dug his grave were imported from Pittsburgh. They buried him in a New York coat and a Boston pair of shoes and a Chicago pair of breeches and a Cincinnati shirt. . . . The South didn't furnish a thing on earth for that funeral but the corpse and the hole in the ground!" The

eloquent Editor Grady lived long enough to get a more fitting funeral, but he died long before the New South was born.

It was still gestating in the depressed mid-1930s, when Margaret Bourke-White first went picture-taking below the Mason-Dixon line. At that time the mighty TVA system was already abuilding, and a lot of Southern oratory had gone over the dam about big changes that were stirring. But what impressed a northern visitor about the South and hit a camera in the lens was a picture of a tired and eroded land that was guilty of nonsupport of its tired and worn-out people. When

she went back with LIFE Reporter Ron Raynolds to take the pictures in this essay Miss Bourke-White (like other recent visitors) was bowled over by "a feeling of a green land and healthy people, a place of hope as well as pride." It was not all green, and the people were not all healthy, for the erosion of soils and of souls cannot be repaired overnight. But there was a new spirit in the land, strong enough to show in pictures. In one community after another, the old philosophy of every man for himself had given way to a more enlightened self-interest. Led by men like



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Wainer and Jewell and Cope and Martin, the people of the South were learning to pool their knowledge and resources to solve the problems that few rugged individuals could lick by themselves.

To Frank H. Neely, board chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank's Atlanta District, the New South has disproved the old notion that no-body can win a war. "The key to the recent social and economic development of the South," Neely says, "is increased buying power. In World War II we made huge gains in technology, and hence in buying power. War industries such as the Bell bomber plant in Atlanta put many people in touch with skills and processes that they had never

known before. As a result we see the unskilled laborers becoming artisans, the artisans moving up to the technician level, and the technicians moving up to become engineers and designers."

A DRIVE-IN BANK, 1949

Producing power is also going up, and per-capita income in the South has increased faster than the national average in the past 10 years. It is still much too low for the peace of mind of the National Planning Association's energetic Committee of the South. Still mainly agricultural for all its drive-in banks and synthetics plants, the Southern states need a lot more industry if they are to get into

balance. The N.P.A. planners say the South will need \$4 to \$5 billion in new capital outlay, in a normal year of full employment, if it is to catch up with the rest of the U.S. But it is catching up now in some noteworthy other ways. Just last week *Variety* reported that, for the first time and to the amazement of the movie industry, films on the race problem, like *Home of the Brave*, were going great guns in the New South.



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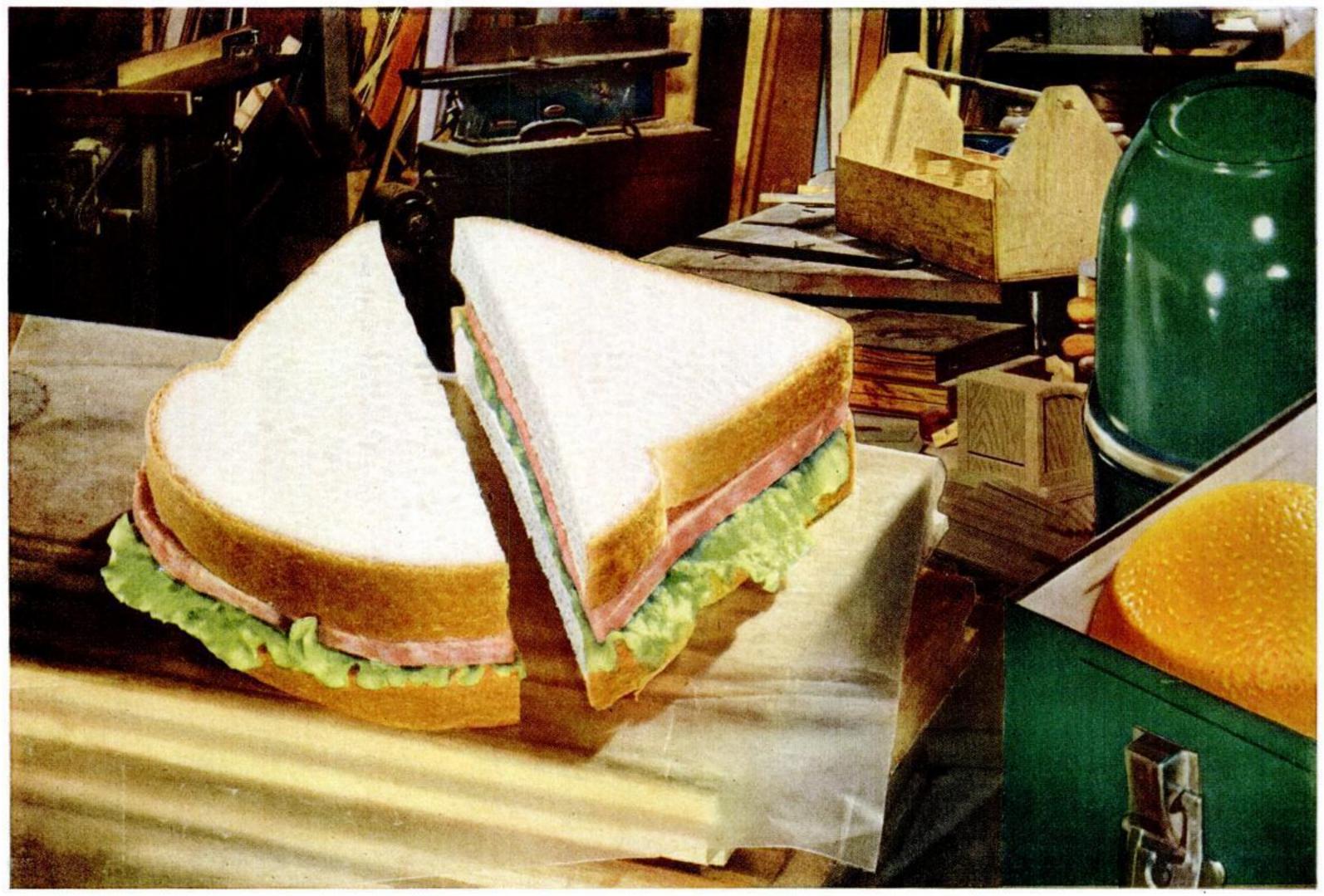
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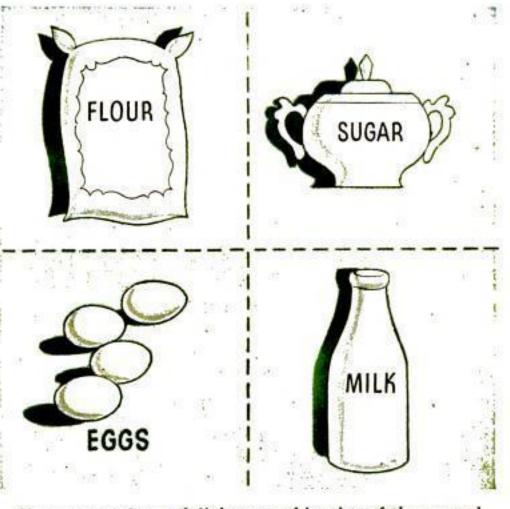


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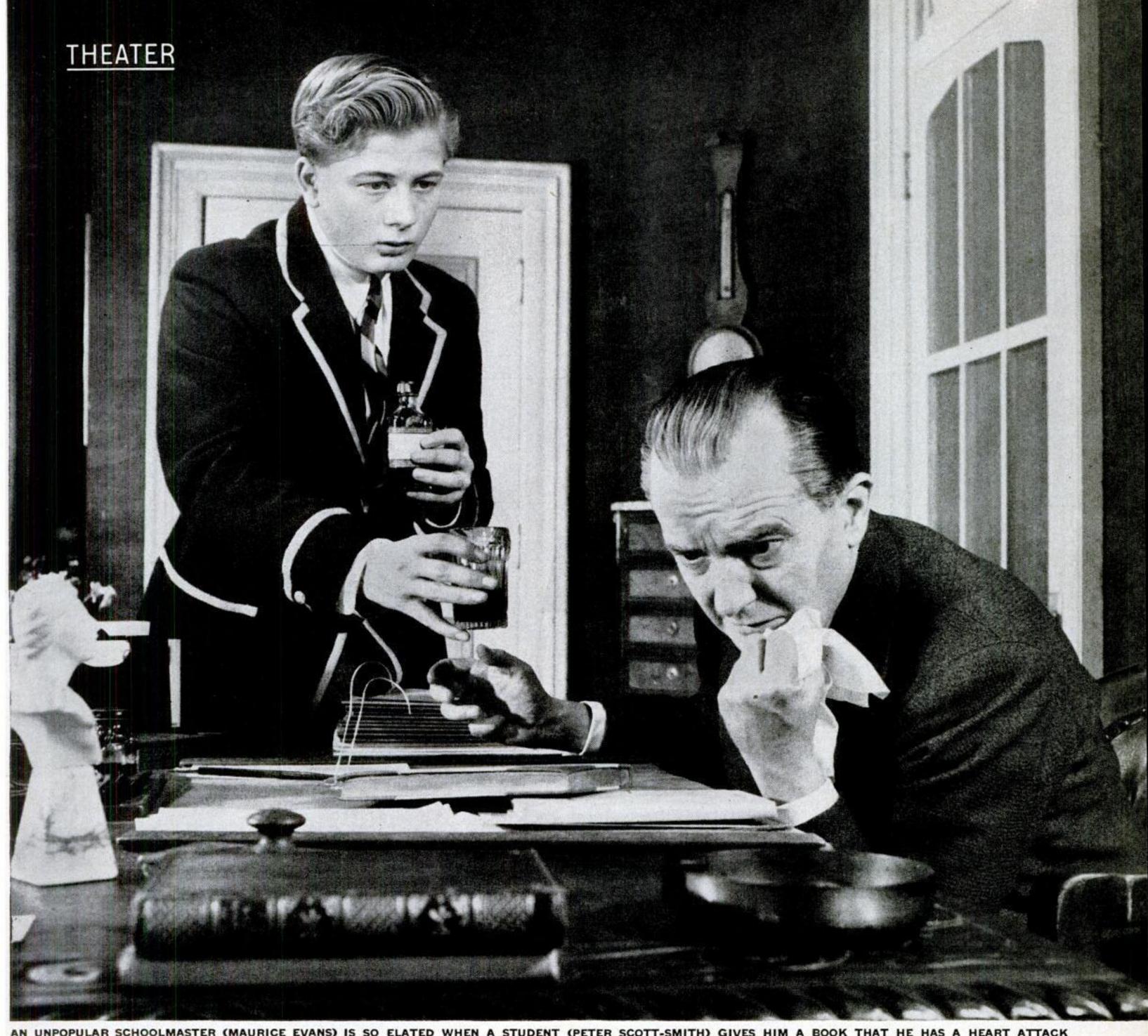
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AN UNPOPULAR SCHOOLMASTER (MAURICE EVANS) IS SO ELATED WHEN A STUDENT (PETER SCOTT-SMITH) GIVES HIM A BOOK THAT HE HAS A HEART ATTACK

"THE BROWNING VERSION"

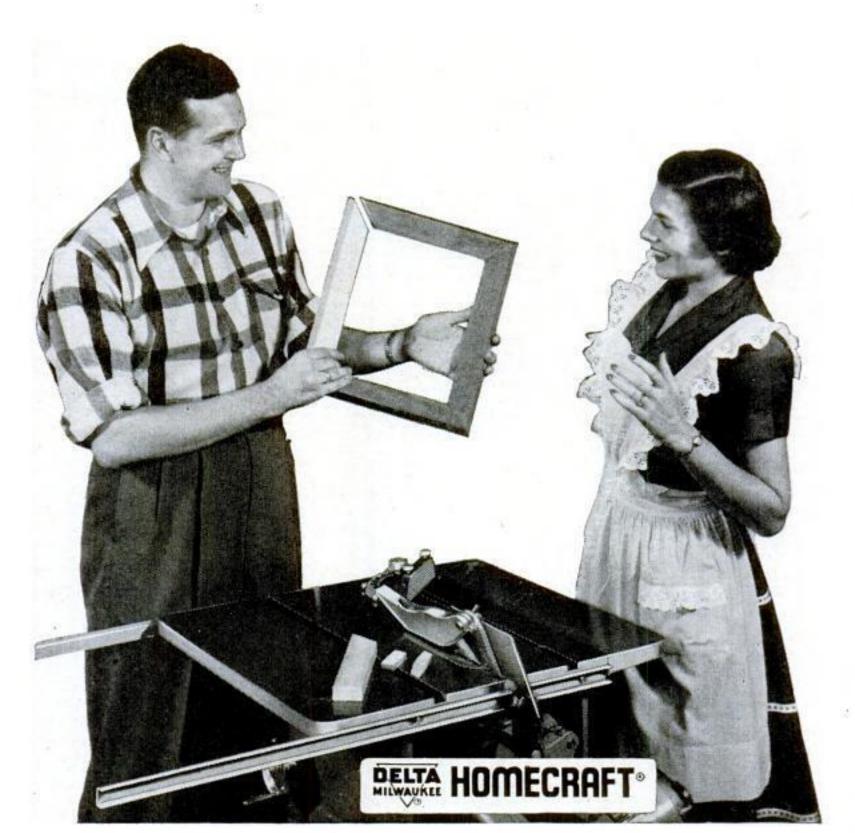
New drama has Broadway's most hissable heroine

To the theater's gallery of low-down females, from Medea to King Lear's elder daughters, the brand-new Broadway season has added one of the nastiest ever to plague a male. Her name is Millie, and in Terence Rattigan's new play, The Browning Version, she is the two-timing wife of a poor English schoolmaster who is losing his job because of heart disease. When Millie, at the height of her petty meanness, destroys one of her husband's few happy moments, some audiences get so mad that they break out into hisses.

Since The Browning Version is a short play, the same team that acts the schoolmaster and his wife, Maurice Evans and Edna Best, fills out the evening's program with another Rattigan play, Harlequinade (following page). Together these two plays were judged top products of London's last season, but they strike most American audiences as just fair-to-middling theater. To professional playgoers this is another current example of the perennial differences in national taste. Right now many English critics, having seen the London productions of A Streetcar Named Desire and Death of a Salesman, think that these prize-winning American plays are not so wonderful either.



A CRUEL WIFE (Edna Best) jeeringly tells her husband that the gift, Browning's translated version of a Creek play, was presented by the student only to curry favor with his teacher. This, on top of his other troubles, leaves the schoolmaster devastated.



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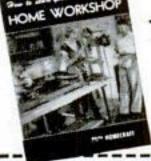
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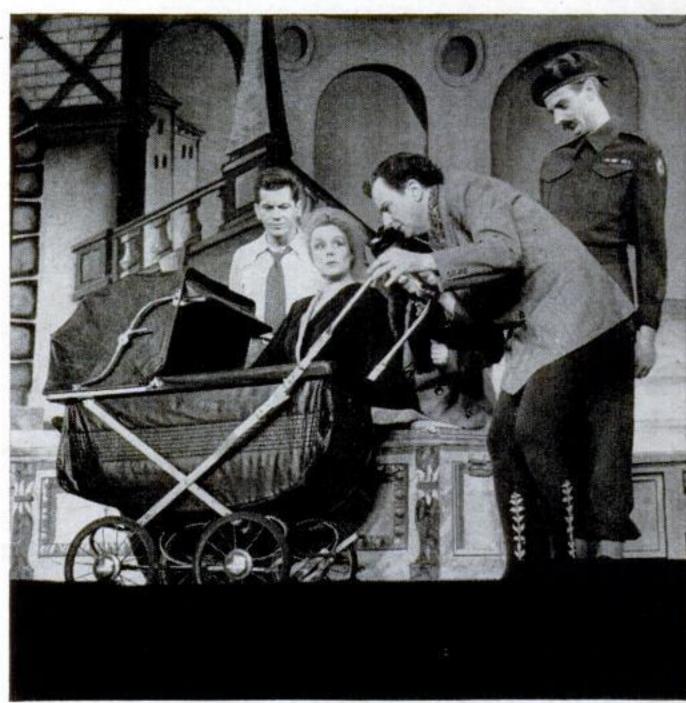
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Maurice Evans CONTINUED



REHEARSING SHAKESPEARE, THE GREAT STAR (MAURICE EVANS, RIGHT

"HARLEQUINADE" PROVES AGAIN THAT ACTORS WILL BE ACTORS



"I REFUSE TO TICKLE his tummy, "grumbles the actor to his new-found grandson. His wife and stage manager (Ron Randell) watch with surprise. Discovering he is a grandfather is a foul blow to his pose of a youthful Romeo.

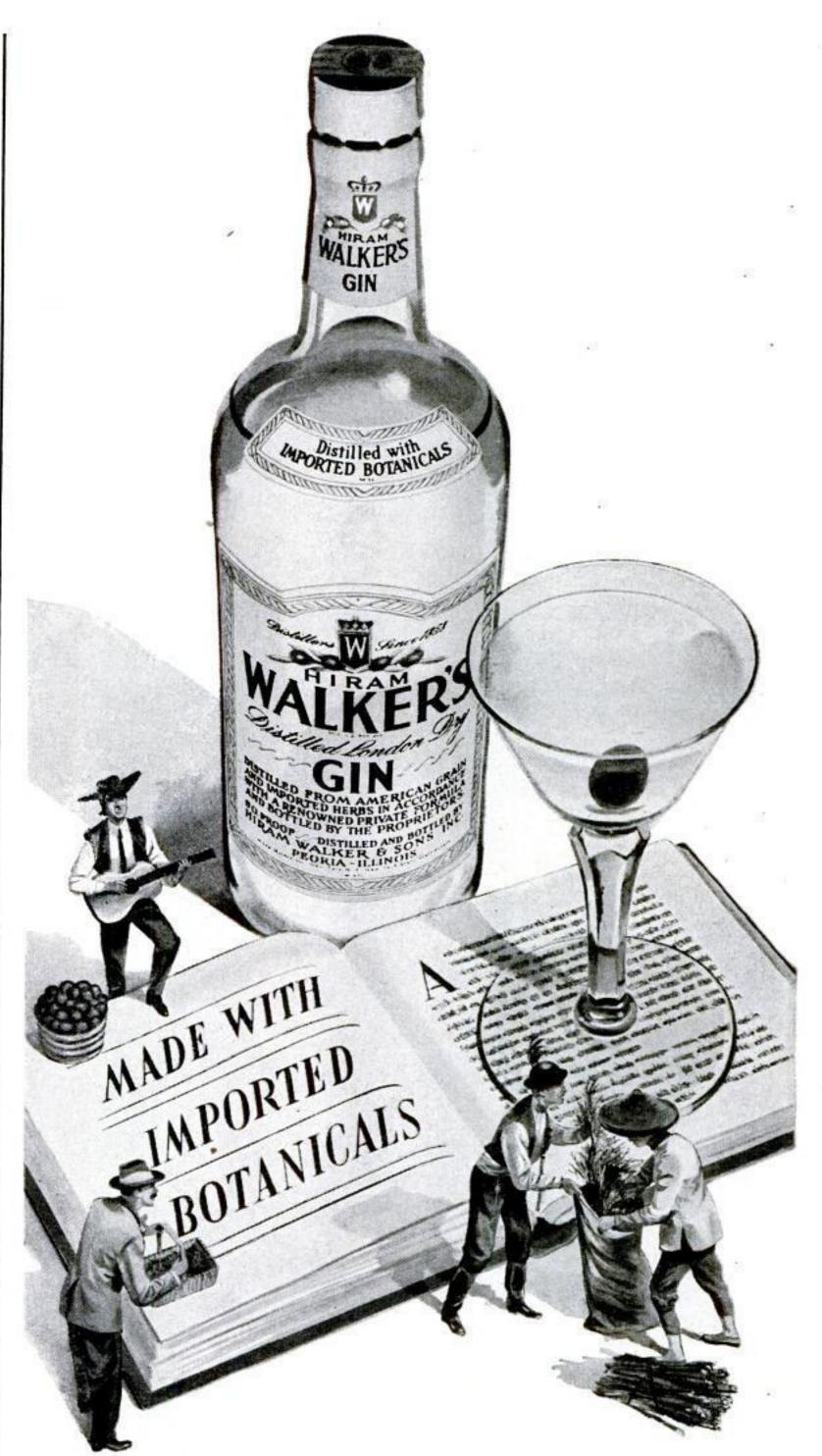


MEETS A GROWNUP DAUGHTER (LEFT) WHOM HE NEVER KNEW HE HAD

The whiskery old cliché that all actors are immoral and childish is amusingly revived in *Harlequinade*. Its hero is a celebrated Shake-spearean trouper who, while putting on *Romeo and Juliet* in the provinces, discovers that, as a result of a youthful indiscretion, he has become a father, a grandfather and a bigamist. He shrugs all this off as nothing compared to the really major problem of how to light his profile.



THE SHOW MUST GO ON is the actor's philosophy. While his wife (Edna Best), now proved to be illegal, flops back on Juliet's tomb, he dismisses his marital problems and starts to orate his Shakespeare with a grand gesture.



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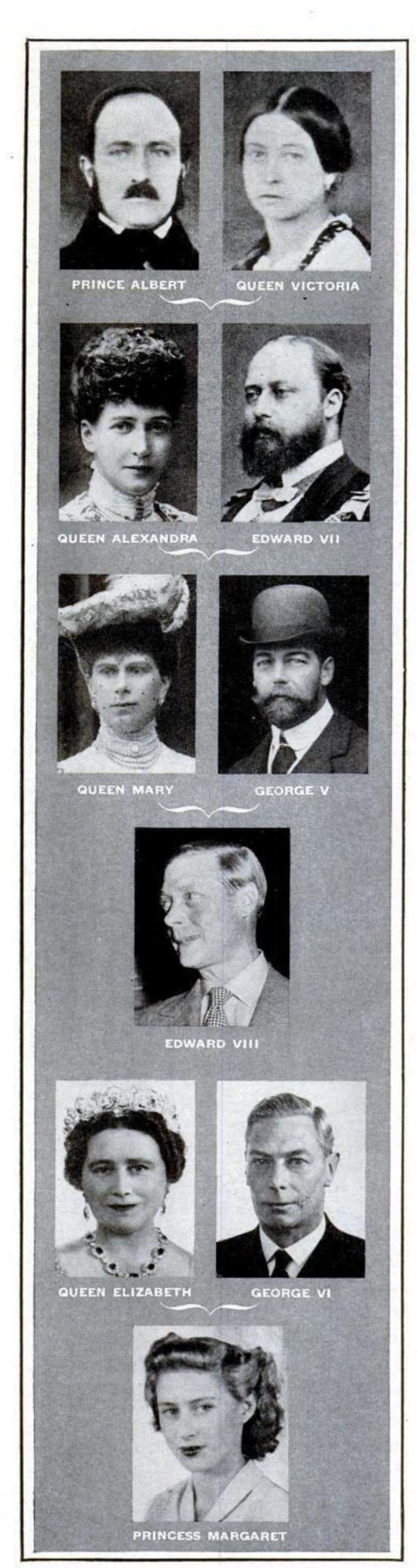
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Princess Margaret relieves the chill of austerity with romance, gaiety and a touch of impudence

by Robert Coughlan

NCE upon a time, not so very long ago, a princess was born in an ancient castle in Scotland. She was as royal as could be, for her grandfather was the King of England, her great-grandfather had also been king and her great-great-grandmother was Queen Victoria, a stern little woman who wore nothing but black for 40 years and was not easily amused. Neither had been her consort, the princess's great-great-grandfather, Prince Albert.

On the other hand the son of this dour couple, King Edward VII, the princess's greatgrandfather, was quite easily amused. In fact he was an old scamp. But his eldest surviving son, King George V, the princess's grandfather, was gruff and dignified and unamused. His eldest son, however, King Edward VIII, was easily amused and surrounded himself with amusing friends. He reminded the world of gay old Edward VII, just as his brother who succeeded him, the present King George VI, reminded it of the dignified, duty-minded George V.

Thus it can be seen that there were two strong tendencies in the princess's family, and the question was, which did she have?

In retrospect the answer seems to have been evident very early, although the signs were not so easy to read at the time. When she was 11 months old and was being carried by her maternal grandmother, Lady Strathmore, she began to hum The Merry Widow Waltz, an example of precocity so startling that Lady Strathmore nearly dropped her. When she was 3 a predisposition to look on the attractive, or Charles Addams, side of dark matters was revealed. Her mother showed her a picture of a horridlooking dragon, and the tiny girl clapped her hands and cooed, "Oh, Mummy! What a darling Loch Ness monster!" At 4, finding the guests at a grownup luncheon dull, she crawled under the table and tickled their feet. At 6 she showed the true mark of joie de vivre, an unrepentant spirit. After being sent to her room for some mischief, she was recalled with the honeyed words, "Come along, dear, you need not stay up here any longer. I'm sure you're good now, aren't you?" To this she answered, "No. I'm naughty still. And I'm going to go on

being naughty.'

And she did. Once she rowed to the middle of a pond and wouldn't come back. Several times she frightened visitors by hiding in the palace draperies, jumping out and yelling, "Boo!" At 12, despite the disapproval of her mother, the Queen of England, she not only dunked her biscuits in her tea but once did so in public, grinning at a guest, "Mother doesn't like me to do it as she says it's not polite." At 14, when she was a girl guide, the British version of girl scout, and was rowing in the lake at Windsor Castle with a girl guide mistress, she pulled the plug out of the bottom of the boat "to see what would happen." The usual thing happened. Since they were in shallow water, no real harm was done and she could safely enjoy the sight of the indignant guide mistress wading in to the muddy shore, her skirts held high.

The same year, when as part of the guide training in social graces she was told to write a letter answering an imaginary invitation, she composed the following: "Dear Lady Godiva, I am so thrilled with your invitation to your dance which sounds such fun. I shall do my very best to bring a partner, and would Lord Tulip do? Wasn't it wonderful fun at the meet on Monday? I did think Lady Adcock overdid it

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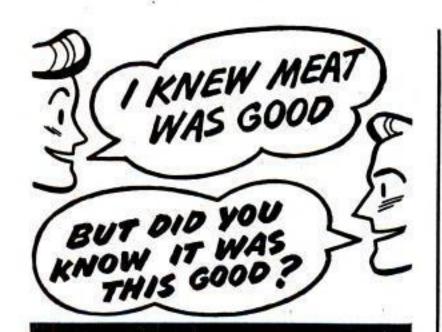
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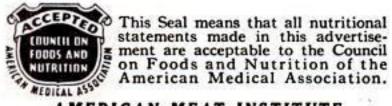
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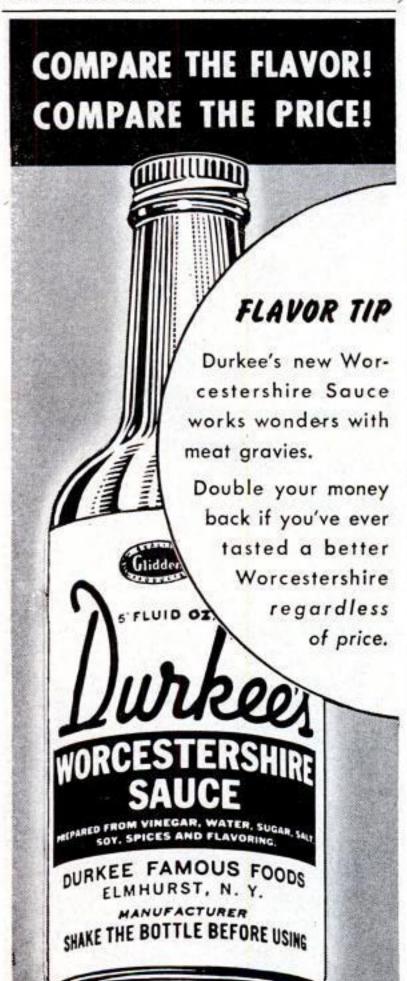
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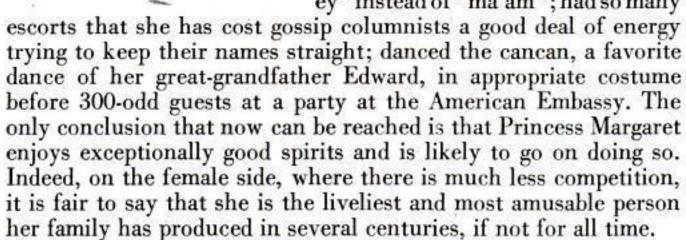


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a bit, with that hat of hers at church, didn't you? Thank you again so much. Yours affectionately, Diaphenia." Her sense of the incongruous was shown again when she was 16 and on a visit with her parents and older sister to South Africa. She behaved well enough until an arthritic old lady, determinedly proper, made such a slow curtsy that the success of the whole celebration seemed to hang on her getting back up right, and soon afterward a pompous African chief lost his place in his speech and started all over again. She caught the eye of a soldier then and giggled quite audibly, for which she was confined to her room that night as punishment.

During all these years there was at least the possibility that such behavior was a reflection of normal childish good spirits, but that

theory will no longer suffice. Princess Margaret was 19 on Aug. 21, 1949. In the past year she has, among other things, spent a score or so of more or less entertaining weekends at the country houses of titled persons, usually with a crowd of whimsically minded young people to keep her company; passed so many late hours at London nightclubs that the London Sunday Pictorial felt obliged to cluck its tongue at her with a deep black headline, "Princess Margaret's Week of Late Nights"; become a fan and friend of Danny Kaye's, not minding when he called her "honey" instead of "ma'am"; had so many



If Uncle Edward had stayed on the throne, this would have been a matter of very small public interest. But by becoming king, Margaret's father became a Symbol, and willy-nilly his family became symbols with him. Up to a point their symbolic functions are clearcut. The king obviously symbolizes a great deal—roughly, everything distinctively British from the invincibility of the fleet to the custom of taking a long weekend at the beginning of August. The queen is his symbolic helpmate, representing the fundamentals of the British female character, such as robustness and propriety combined with an ability to make all vegetables taste like Brussels sprouts and all dresses look like slip covers. The eldest child, as Heir Presumptive, ideally symbolizes industry, devotion and all the other wholesome attributes that make British children models of be-

havior. Last week, for instance, at a rally of the Mothers Union, Princess Elizabeth spoke out firmly against "growing self-indulgence, hardening materialism, and falling of moral standards" and urged young British mothers not to be afraid of being thought "priggish."

AT 5 she was plump and blond,

looked like mischievous cherub.

There is no specific job, however, symbolic or otherwise, for a younger child in the royal family except to stay alive, in case the eldest dies and a new Heir Presumptive is needed. The position has its advantages. As part of a human stockpile younger children enjoy all the prerogatives of

part of a human stockpile younger made friends with a dour chimp. children enjoy all the prerogatives of royalty with few of the responsibilities. But it has its drawbacks too; for since their role lacks definition, everyone is entitled to an opinion as to how they should conduct themselves.

Thus it is not surprising that Princess Margaret's chronic good humor should have become a public issue in Great Britain, and to some extent in allied and friendly powers such as the U.S. The issue has already created factions.

On a show of hands the unreservedly pro-Margaret faction would walk away with the vote, for it consists of the great, socialized, ordinary, hard-working masses. The royal family has always been a vicarious outlet for them: if a docker could not ride in a Rolls-Royce, the king could do so for all dockers; and if the docker's daughter could not go to a formal ball and dance with the heir to a duke, the

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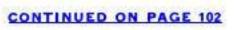
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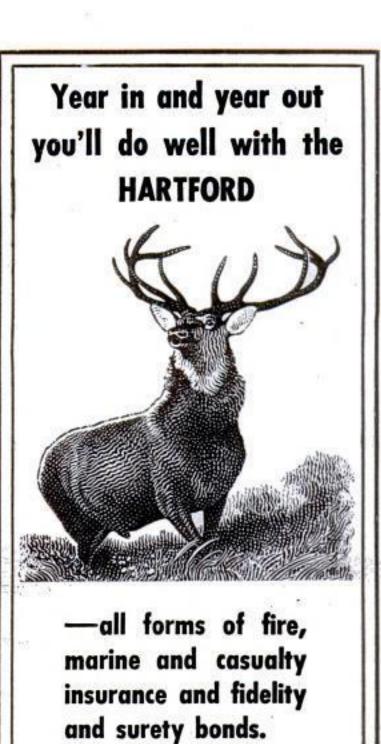
king's daughters could do so for all girls. Present conditions make this all the more true, for austerity restricts the pleasures the masses can afford, and the newsprint shortage has so reduced society reporting that they can no longer even read about the fun the classes are having. The activities of the royal family are, however, fully reported, with the result that Margaret has become, so to speak, the Joint National Debutante. As such she supplies romance, color and girlish freshness to the drab national scene, and if she adds a touch of impudence and spice too, so much the more for the tax-payers' money. "She's a cracker, she is," one of them says. "She's a natural sort of a girl that likes a good time, the way all girls do. I say, let'er 'ave 'er bit of a fling. She'll 'ave to settle soon enough."

The anti-Margaret factions are to be found in widely separated quarters. Among the Nonconformists, or non-Episcopal Protestants, who tend to be unfashionable and to live in Scotland and Wales, there is a good deal of grumbling about her late hours and dancing and the fact that she takes a cocktail now and then and occasionally smokes. There is grumbling also among some of the rich, conservative High Anglicans who make up what used to be called the ruling class. Having a hereditary and vested interest in the throne, they are disturbed by anything that might seem to detract from its dignity. As one of them recalls with a flinch, "I was standing near the king and queen at a palace garden party, a very sedate affair, you know, when there was the most awful noise a few yards away. It was Margaret, entertaining some people with an imitation of Danny Kaye. Really!"

The sisters

THE center of this small commotion stands a shade over 5 feet ■ tall, has a 23-inch waist and 33-inch bust, and attractive large blue eyes which usually have a quizzical look. Her nose is a bit too long to qualify her as a classic beauty, and she gives the appearance of being slightly bowlegged. Nevertheless she is definitely attractive, and, as royal princesses go, even quite pretty. From her mother's side of the family, the Bowes-Lyons, she inherited a rosebud complexion which she sets off to advantage with lipstick and mascara, but little powder or rouge. It is often said among her father's loyal subjects that it was also from her mother's side that she got her quick mind. Her uncle, the Hon. David Bowes-Lyon, is a director of the Cunard Steam-Ship Co. Ltd. and the London Times, and the family has produced a number of lawyers, soldiers, legislators and other shrewd Scottish types. It goes back in a collateral branch to Macbeth, who, according to legend, murdered King Duncan in Glamis Castle, where Margaret was born on a stormy night in 1930. As the first royal child in many generations to be born north of the English border, she was welcomed with bonfires, bagpipes, Highland flings and a general atmosphere of gaiety which in retrospect seems prophetic.





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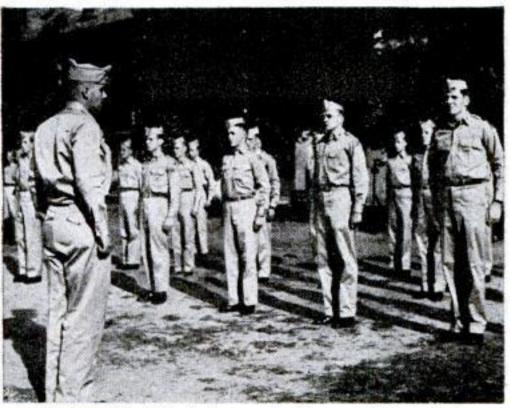
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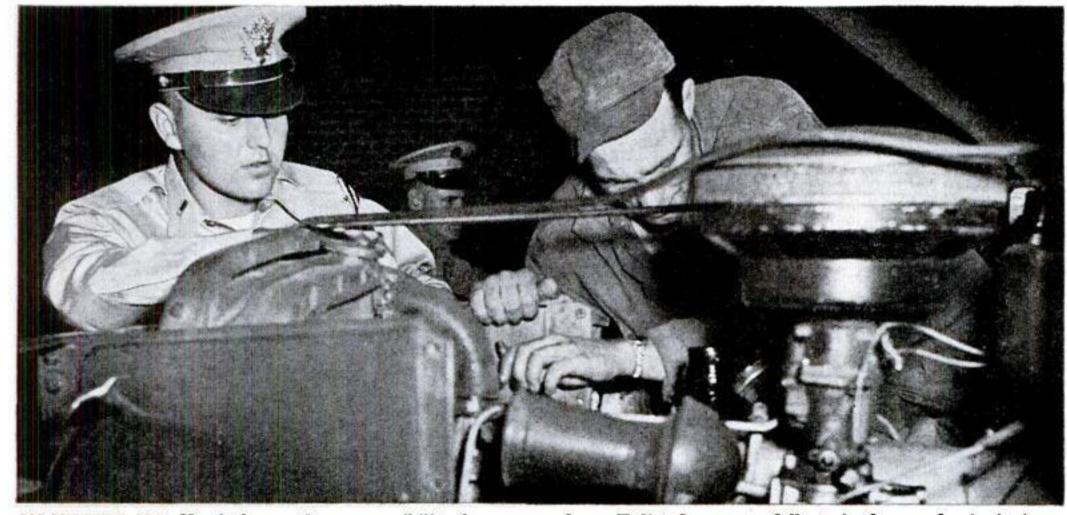
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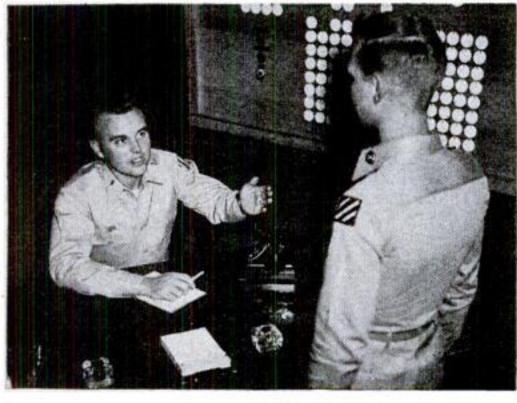
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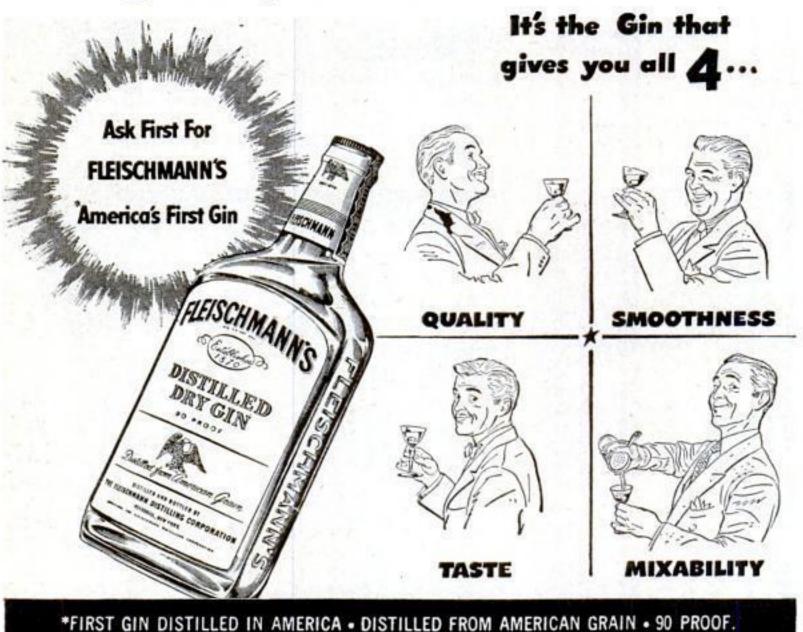


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MAJOR. TELFER-SMOLLETT, general's son, danced with her in Glasgow.



MARK BONHAM-CARTER was wowed by her at ball in London.

PRINCESS MARGARET CONTINUED

Her sister Elizabeth, who was four years older, welcomed her by giving her her own favorite stuffed toy, an act of selflessness that, so far as Elizabeth was concerned, was to set the tone for their entire relationship. The two little girls were close enough in age so that they could do many things together, and although they were different in temperament, they became very good friends and were fondly nicknamed "the inseparables" by the British press. They shared a nursery, a governess named Marion ("Crawfie") Crawford, a 15-foot-square playhouse and a series of pets. In due course they collected stamps, planted gardens (Margaret dug them up to see how they were doing), went to the zoo, studied French, learned to ride bicycles and were otherwise enveloped in the social and educational paraphernalia of well-integrated, well-off children. Ordinarily, as the issue of a younger royal child, they would have appeared now and then in the gravure sections of the newspapers and grown up in a life of comfortable obscurity.

The fact that Edward VIII was unmarried, however, and that the princesses were the next in royal line after their father, focused public interest on them from the time they were born. And since Elizabeth was the elder, she came in for the major part of it. It was noticed even then that Margaret was precocious and talkative and went out of her way to get her proper share of attention. When George VI became king and Elizabeth became heiress to the throne in fact as well as theory, a fresh jolt was given to their "sibling rivalry," as child psychologists call the competition among children in a family. Margaret was faced with the fact that Elizabeth really was going to be queen and she, whatever she did short of regicide, was not.

This has never interfered with the affection between them: they were always and still are each other's best friend. Nor does it mean that Margaret would like to be queen, for the chances are that she

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LORD DERBY, since married, took her to theater, then to dinner.



MARQUESS OF BLANDFORD, heir to Marlborough, took her to the Ascot races.



HON. JULIAN FANE, son of Earl of Westmorland, took her to opera.



TOM EGERTON, wealthy gentleman farmer, escorted her to the races at Surrey.

wouldn't. But it does explain, at least in part, what seems to be Margaret's urge to catch up with Elizabeth and, if possible, to do everything better than she can.

When, for example, at the age of 7, she was enrolled as a girl guide (Brownie pack, Leprechaun section), she plunged in with such pioneer zeal that she soon won a chestful of merit badges. She learned to swim and, at the age of 8, walked off with the Children's Challenge Cup at the Bath Club in London. When she took up the piano she kept at it until she had become a really accomplished amateur, with a touch several degrees surer than Elizabeth's. When painting lessons began Elizabeth was diligent and painstaking, while Margaret soon invented a character called the Pinkle-Ponkle, who lived in the air and liked to hover over towns. "If he were to come down," she explained, "he would find worm sandwiches and caterpillar jam -green jam." Between lessons and activities she entertained herself by thinking of practical jokes. Elizabeth, who was both near at hand and had a steady disposition, made an ideal victim. When she made tea biscuits Margaret convulsed her by worriedly dropping them on the floor, pretending they were as hard as stones, and amused her somewhat less by smuggling salt into her tea and tapioca into her bath water.

She grew up fast

As Elizabeth grew into young womanhood, Margaret was faced with the bothersome fact that she herself was still a child. She solved the difficulty by resolutely refusing to act like one. When she was 10 she was heard to remark that the footman in the royal nursery was "frightfully handsome." At 14 she was caught sampling the royal cellars. At 15 she turned up at a garden party in Edinburgh with mascara, eyebrow pencil, rouge, heavy powder and lipstick—"as though she were doing amateur theatricals," one disapproving

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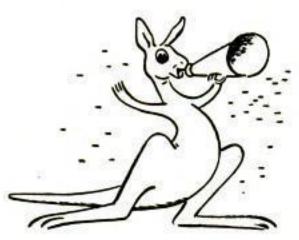
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Scotswoman recalls. She made a point of knowing the names of all the young officers of the palace guards, especially the handsome ones. And when Elizabeth, at 16, was encouraged to ask some of them to tea, as a way of gently breaking her into social life, 12-yearold Margaret generally would appear also, uninvited. She did the same thing when, later on, Elizabeth began to give evening parties and dances; and since Elizabeth was rather shy, and she herself had conversational aplomb beyond her years, she often managed to become the center of attention. Consequently by the time she was old enough to "come out" she had already been out, having "sneaked out," as one observer phrased it, several years before.

Encouraged by these early successes, she developed gate-crashing to an art worthy of a "One-eyed" Connolly. In 1947, when Elizabeth was given the ceremonial "freedom of the city" of London, Mar-

garet showed up too, via a side street, and Elizabeth had to make a hasty appeal to the Lord Mayor to have her fitted in. The next year, when the rest of the family had gone off to Ascot to the races, leaving Margaret home at Windsor Castle with firm instructions to stay there, she hitched a ride with a house guest and turned up in the royal enclosure, with the wrong clothes and a cheerful expression. She was 17; Elizabeth had not gone to the races until she was 19.

Even such ingenuity as Margaret's, however, could not totally void the fact that Elizabeth was four years older and for a while

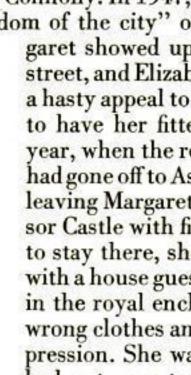
would get to do certain things first. When Elizabeth was married those who knew Margaret predicted a crisis. Sure enough, rumors began that she soon would be married too-and Margaret confided to a friend that this was indeed quite likely. The husband presumptive was "Sonny" Blandford, heir to the Duke of Marlborough. It was romantically rumored that as he led his unit of the Life Guards past Buckingham Palace, he delayed the "eyes right" until the moment he could have a good long look at Margaret's window. As it turned out this got him nothing but eyestrain, for her parents disapproved on the grounds that she was too young, and it was indicated that she would not be married for at least another year.

The year is now past gone. The romance appears to be over—a loss to the royal line, in the opinion of many, for the Marlboroughs are a strong and diversely talented breed whose members include Winston Churchill. The present duke, a keen sportsman, amazed his friends and confounded his enemies last year at a supper party when he pitched a raspberry to the top of the great vaulted ceiling of his country home, Blenheim Palace, Woodstock, Oxfordshire, and caught it in his mouth as it fell.

Her "American" friends

CINCE Blandford, Margaret has had no serious attachments, nor even any particular favorites among the dozen or so young men who have been escorting her. They are a diverse group, with an editor, two playwrights and two gentleman farmers among them as well as a good number of young officers or former officers of the Household Cavalry. A striking common denominator is that many of them are connected in some way with America and specifically with large American fortunes. Blandford's paternal grandmother for example, was Consuelo Vanderbilt, and Lord "Porchy" Porchester, heir to Lord Carnarvon, not only had an American mother, a Wendell of New York, but an American stepmother, Tilly Losch. Billy Wallace, whose father was a Conservative cabinet minister, now has Herbert Agar as his stepfather. Jeremy Tree's paternal grandmother was a daughter of the first Marshall Field, and his mother was Nancy Perkins of Richmond, Va. His stepmother is the former Marietta Peabody of the Boston, Groton and Pikes Peak Peabodys. An American influence is noticeable also among the girls in Margaret's set. Jennifer Bevan, her lady-inwaiting, spent the war years in school in Boston. Sharman Douglas, daughter of the American ambassador, is probably her best friend. They are on close terms and spend a good deal of time gossiping back and forth on the telephone.

With a lively nature, plenty of friends and an unassailable social position, Margaret has no trouble finding amusing things to do. Austerity has taken some of the glitter off London social life, but



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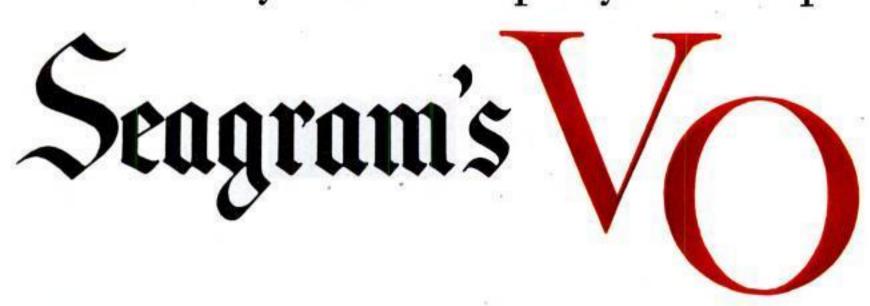
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1/4 teaspoon salt
16 quartered marshmallows
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
11/2 cups canned cling peach slices
1 baked 9-inch pastry shell

Chill milk until ice cold. Soften gelatin in lemon juice. Combine peach syrup, sugar, salt and marshmallows, and cook and stir over very low heat until marshmallows are melted. Stir in softened gelatin and lemon rind. Chill until slightly thicker than unbeaten egg whites. Whip chilled milk with cold rotary beater until fluffy. Fold into cold gelatin mixture. Fold in well-drained peach slices. Pour into baked pastry shell, and chill until firm. Decorate with additional peach slices. Serves 6 to 8.

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not so much as most Americans suppose. The days when a young thing could choose among three balls in an evening are past, as are the long, wonderful country weekends at the big, magnificent country houses. Yet, in the course of a year, there are several dozen balls and there still are country houses where, despite everything, the food and wine are good and there may even be an orchestra for dancing. Margaret always has more invitations than she can accept. London night life, too, is surprisingly vigorous, with theater, ballet, opera and concerts to rival New York's, and enough dineand-dance places to satisfy the most hardened rumba fan. The best ones are "clubs" and are available only to members, who pay a stiff initiation fee, but Margaret, of course, is admitted everywhere. Nightclubs, unlike laundries, barbershops and most other British commercial establishments, do not qualify for the honor of royal "appointment." If they did, the Four Hundred Club could advertise itself, "By Appointment to H.R.H. Princess Margaret," for among all the clubs it is her favorite. It is suitably described by one debutante as "a small black hole, simply marvelous."

Along with these manufactured diversions, Margaret has the simpler ones common to other girls her age, such as having friends over for a close-in talk about clothes, hair-dos, boys and other girls. Several times a week taxis and private cars roll into the great courtyard of Buckingham Palace, past the policemen and the redcoated guardsmen with their black bearskin hats, and stop at the Privy Purse door to let out such intimates as Sharman, Lady Rosemary Spencer-Churchill (Blandford's sister), Rachel Brand, granddaughter of Lord Hamden, or Laura Smith, daughter of Lady Hambleden, one of the queen's ladies-of-the-bedchamber. A footman dressed in a scarlet tail coat and black trousers takes them in an elevator to the second floor, escorts them to a big mahogany door, knocks, and announces them into Margaret's presence. No matter how well they know her they hitch "ma'am" to the end of their first greeting; the formality observed, they then settle into a relaxed, girl-to-girl attitude.

A girl with zing

Margaret likes the usual run of popular novels (she got all the way through Gone With the Wind) but also has a taste for the Brontë sisters. The magazines are limited mainly to Vogue, Harper's Bazaar and The Tatler, the latter a glossy society magazine which she devours from cover.

Amid these informal surroundings Margaret and her friends chatter and gossip, and listen to the radio or to the new dance records. Most of them are enthusiastic record collectors, and the lion of the hour is the one who may have been able to get hold of an album from the latest American musical comedy. Margaret especially liked the score from Kiss Me, Kate, and her favorite recent song has been I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Outa My Hair from South Pacific. Early in the evening, if she isn't going out to a party or for dinner at a friend's house, she may have young men up to join the girls. There is a choice of gin or sherry, but not a great deal of drinking is done. Margaret herself may get along on nothing but an orange squash, for her spirits need no stimulation. As one young lord says, "She's a hell of a girl-real zing." If, perhaps, a theater party is in the plans, a procession of cars leaves the palace shortly before 7, with Margaret and her escort in the lead-and a Scotland Yard car not far behind. After the theater the group goes on to The Society, The Bagatelle or some other fashionable restaurant for supper, and from there, as often as not, to the Four Hundred. Margaret loves to dance, and she may continue with hardly a pause until 2, 3 or 4 in the morning. Her escort then delivers her back to the darkened palace, where a servant has been waiting up to let her in. And with the presence of the servant, the ever-vigilant Scotland Yard man and her lady-in-waiting, there are no long goodnights at the door.

There is a popular tendency, on account of this and other inhibitions attached to her station in life, to feel rather sorry for Margaret. It is true that in some ways she cannot have a normal life; true that her trip to the Continent last spring, for example, was



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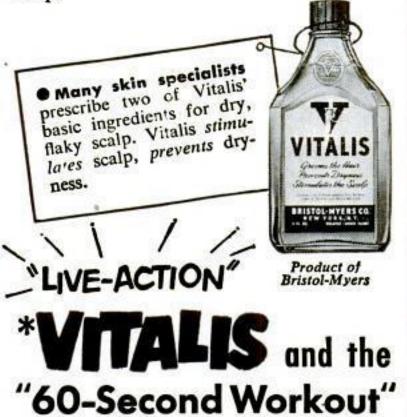


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TRAFFIC JAM of sightseers developed in Venice's Grand Canal when Margaret appeared. This kind of thing took most of the fun out of her holiday there.

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turned from a private holiday into a public carnival; true that she is on exhibition every time she leaves the palace, and to some extent inside it. As she once remarked to her father, "Isn't it a pity that we have to travel with royalty?" Nevertheless the sympathy is largely misplaced. Margaret very much likes being a princess, doesn't really mind being looked at, is quite sensibly aware that her position gives her a unique social status and special privileges, and obviously manages to have a very good time.

It would be equally wrong, on the other hand, to suppose that her life is a round of pleasure, or that she takes all her privileges without giving something in return. Like the rest of the royal family, she is often called upon to do boring things gracefully. She is a sponsor of half a dozen public organizations, ranging from the Sea Rangers to the Barnardo Helpers' League, and in addition, several times a week, there are hospitals to inspect, visiting dignitaries to greet, receptions to attend, housing projects to look over, committees to have tea with, masses of people to smile at, and speeches to make. One of her recent speeches was at the opening of a fete at Eastbourne, and there was a suspicion that her sense of humor may have overcome her then. "It wasn't what she said, but the way she said it," one listener recalls. "You couldn't put your finger on it, but it was almost as if she were giving an imitation of royalty opening a fete." Such lapses-if it was one-are rare; she carries off her duties ordinarily with cheerfulness, tact and a polished sense of diplomacy. She takes a genuine interest in many of these activities, for she has a curious mind and likes the opportunity to get out and see how things work. Quite on her own, during the past year, she has organized sightseeing trips to Scotland Yard, the Battersea Power Station, the House of Commons and several other public and commercial points of interest. These have broadened not only her mind but her repertoire of imitations. She was fascinated, for instance, by the way Prime Minister Attlee sits scrunched up on the front bench of Labor's side of the House of Commons, with his legs propped high on a table, and at the risk of her modesty was soon showing friends how he does it.

Charley's Aunt

Mary or other relatives and friends. Usually she has lunch with her parents at the palace—a purely informal, family she has lunch with her parents at the palace—a purely informal, family she has no official engagements, she may proposed in the garden, shop, read, take a dip in the palace pool, walk her dogs in the garden, shop, read, take a dip in the palace pool, walk her dogs in the garden, shop, read, take a dip in the palace pool, walk her dogs in the garden, shop,

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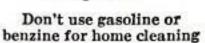
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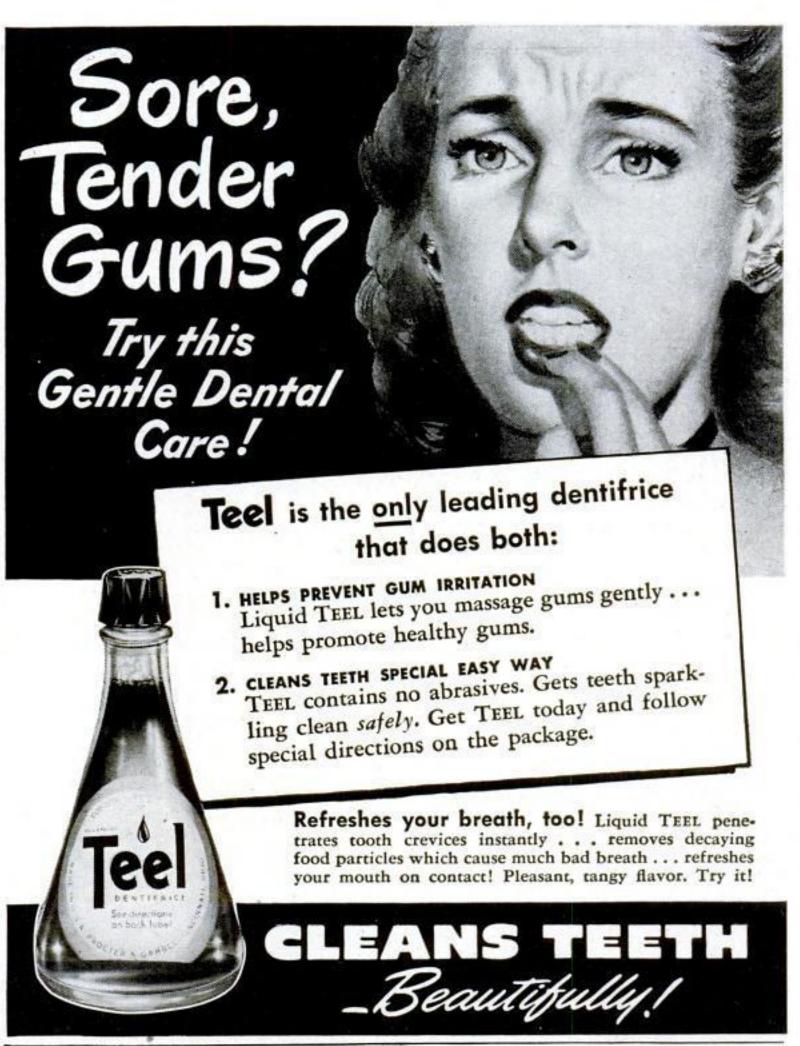




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call up her friends or entertain herself in any number of the ways that 19-year-old girls can think up. Unless she has some friends over, she usually has afternoon tea with her parents. This, too, is most often a quiet, family affair, with an atmosphere not much different from that over countless tea tables in millions of other British houses.

Now that Elizabeth has set up housekeeping for herself and Margaret is the only child at home, her family relationships are on an even closer basis than before. She has a naturally affectionate nature, loves her parents unreservedly, and they in turn are inclined to let her do what she wants and perhaps to spoil her. If, as some maintain, she could use a spanking, her father is not the one to administer it. Her late hours make him angry, but she soon finds ways to get him back in good humor. Having a rather serious disposition himself, with only a small fund of crippled jokes, such as "How do I like my tea? In a cup. Haw, haw," he is all the more delighted by Margaret's flippancies. When a Scottish minister came to tea and she insisted on singing I'm Jist a Girl Who Cain't Say No, the queen tried to shush her, but the king, after his initial shock, laughed heartily. The queen, who hides a sense of humor and a liking for fun under her matronly look, is a sympathetic mother and occasionally a coconspirator in planning Margaret's escapades. She approved of her dancing the now famous cancan, for example, and even helped supervise the costuming.

Margaret and Elizabeth see a good deal of each other, like any sisters who live in the same town. They are firm friends and, with Elizabeth happily married and the difference in their ages no longer a practical factor, Margaret's sense of competition has tapered off. She was filled with sisterly excitement at the birth of Prince Charles and characteristically capitalized on it by supposing that from then on she would be called "Charley's Aunt." She gets on well with her brother-in-law, who has a disposition nearly as antic as hers. Their relationship has evolved into that of older brother and kid sister, with Philip often taking a firm line with her. When, at his and Elizabeth's country home, she sent word down that she wanted breakfast in bed, Philip had her routed out to eat with the rest of the house guests, and not long ago he accomplished the small miracle of making her leave a nightclub, where she had gone with him and Elizabeth, when she felt like staying for a few more dances.

Ach, it was very amusing

WITH Philip now off to active duty with the fleet, the only sustained attempt at discipline within the royal family comes from Queen Mary. In her own time she also was known to enjoy a joke, which was commonly attributed to her quarter fraction of Hungarian blood. Compton Mackenzie, the novelist and historian, tells of a conversation he had with an old chamberlain of the Court of Württemberg, where she visited when she was the young Princess of Teck. "She was so full of spirits always," the old man recalled. "She would hide behind a pillar at a court ball and put out her foot to trip up some pompous functionary. Ach, it was very amusing." That, however, was quite a long time ago. Queen Mary has tried with some success to interest her obstreperous grandchild in antiques and other genteel hobbies, and with less success has talked with her and her parents about her late hours and general attitude.

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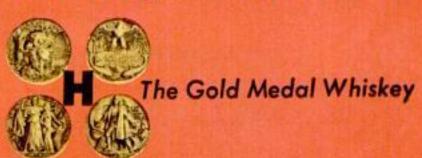
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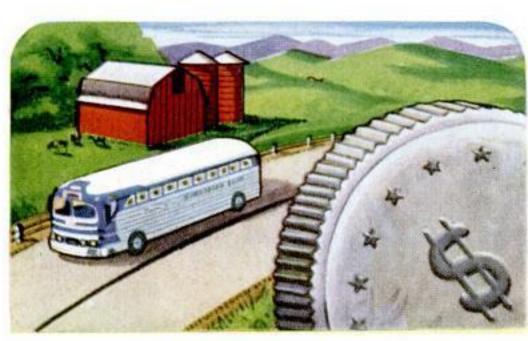
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Queen Mary and some of her friends have been heard to express the hope that marriage will have a settling effect on Margaret. That, of course, will depend on the kind of man she marries. Since her taste runs to lively types, the chances are that for some years at least she will continue to make London night life brighter. She can marry anyone she wants to, commoner, American or Zulu, so long as she has her father's consent and he is not a Roman Catholic. After she reaches 25 she could marry even without the king's approval, provided she gave a year's notice to the Privy Council and provided also that the Houses of Parliament did not object. Judging by her popularity and by the credentials of the young men who surround her, however, it is equally unlikely that she will be unmarried for long or that she will choose an "unsuitable" mate.

No little black dresses

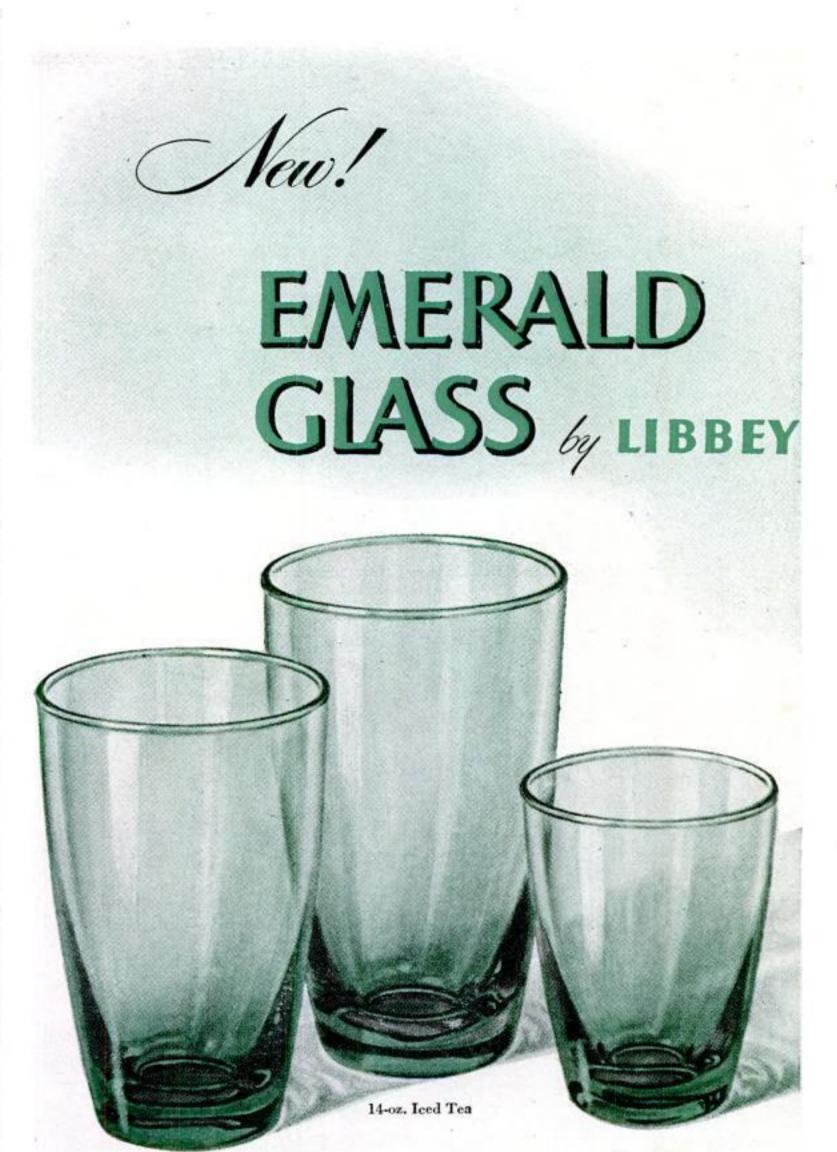
TF Margaret were not a royal princess, her friends think she probably would be an actress. As it is, her ambitions are necessarily limited, for any sort of "career" is out of the question. Aside from marriage and eventual motherhood, her only viable aim is to be a leader of fashion. The end of clothing rationing early this year was a great relief to her, for until then she was limited, like everyone else, to what she could buy with her few tickets and salvage from hand-me-downs. She takes the stylish Duchess of Kent as her model in taste and last year caused a teacup tempest by wanting dresses from Molyneux, one of the duchess's favorite couturiers, instead of Hartnell, who has a semimonopoly on designing for the queen and Elizabeth. Margaret had her way and is now free to shop wherever she wants, provided she doesn't spend money in excess of the usual tourist allotment outside the sterling area (Molyneux, though a French concern, has a British branch). She has no pronounced preferences in colors and wears a variety of them. The "little black dress," the basic equipment of most well-dressed women, is denied her, however, since in the immediate royal family black is reserved for mourning. The tradition goes back to the time when royalty was plentiful and was so intertwined by marriages of state that the death of a second-string Bulgarian prince could plunge most of the royal ladies of Europe and England into black. Customs are easier now; but even so, there have been 11 full mournings of varying length during the last 13 years. Margaret makes the best of it by settling for navy blue.

Her only other source of frustration clothing-wise is financial, since she has no income of her own and must ask her parents for what she needs. That, however, will be remedied when she is 21 and is entitled to a state allowance of £6,000 (\$16,800) a year. At that time also she will come into a bequest of £20,000 (\$56,000) from Mrs. Ronnie Greville, a once-famous hostess and good friend of Edward VII. Mrs. Greville, perhaps seeing in Margaret some reflection of her great-grandfather, took a great fancy to her and remembered her in her will when she died in 1942. With that much liquid capital, Margaret's friends have no doubt, she will begin at 21 to move onto the lists of the world's best-dressed women.

Meantime, as the world's leading debutante, she continues to have one of the world's best times. And most of the world would go along with the solid British officer who, when asked what he thought about it all, said, "Think of managing to have that much fun with everyone peering at you, with your parents in the position they are and with old Queen Mary in the background. I'd say it's a jolly good show."



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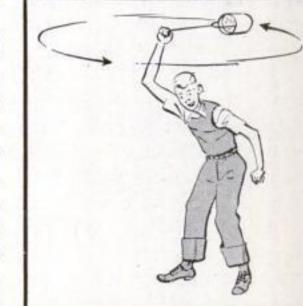


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BARREL SLOWS DOWN and Hoffmeister slips to the floor, tries to pull the girl down. Other man is still on wall



WITH A PIERCING SQUEAL a girl clutches at her skirts, which have begun to ride up in the general direction of her hips as the barrel starts to lose speed and she begins to

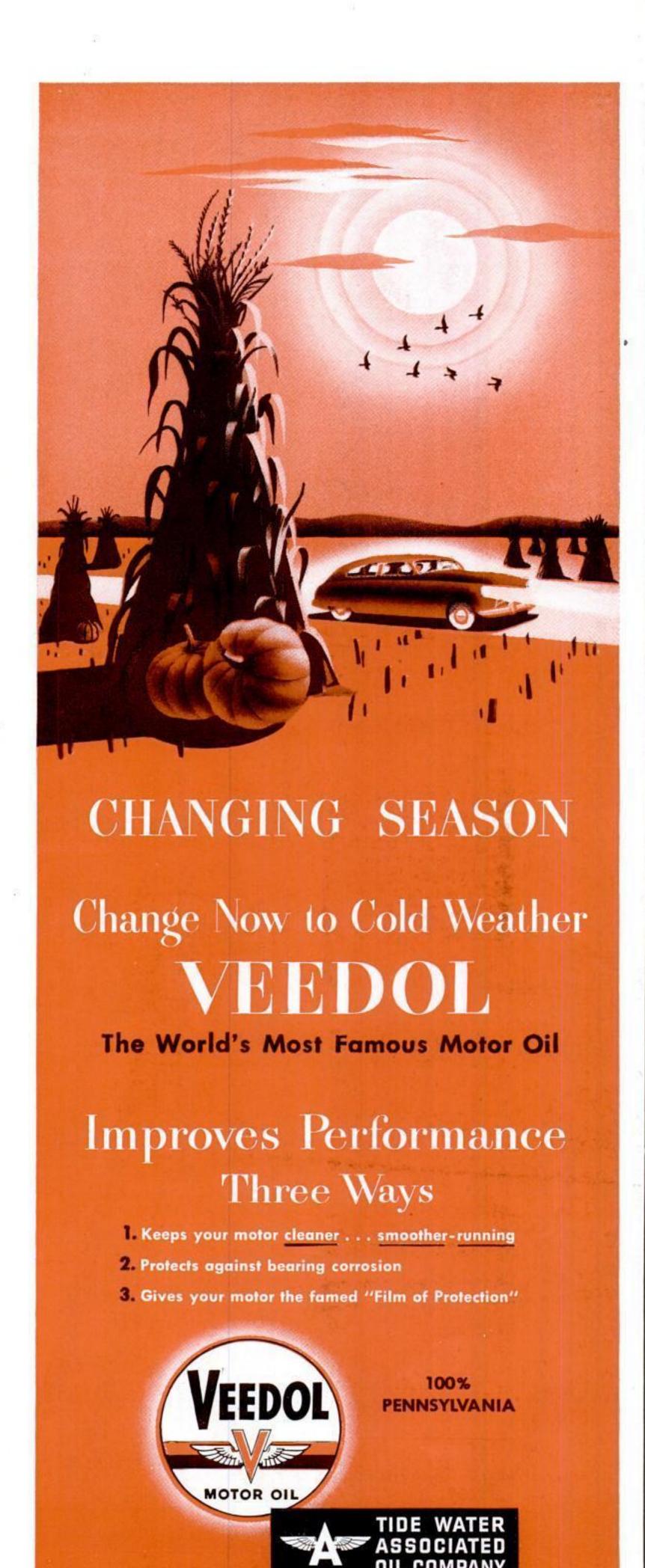
slip down the wall. The two men on the wall beside her have not begun to slide yet because the fuzzy texture of their clothing provides enough friction to hold them in place.



HATS ABOVE THEM seemingly glued to the wall, these three old friends revolve happily together. They will slip down to the floor before their hats.



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